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WILL SELECT SUPREME COURT TEST CASE

Department and Railroads Agree To Expedite Decision

It Remains to be Decided Whether Suit of Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf R. R. or That of the Santa Fe Shall be Made Test Case—A. P. Thom Addresses Joint Congressional Committee.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Conferences between Attorney General Gregory and counsel for important railway systems of the country looking to the expedition to the supreme court of one of the suits attacking the constitutionaliy of the Adamson act virtually were concluded today and the question of which shall be made the test case was placed in the hands of department of justice attorneys and legal representatives of the railroads now in Kansas City. It was said tonight that the only matter to be determined in Kansas City is whether the suit of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, decided yesterday against the government or that of the Santa Fe set for hearing tomorrow shall be made the test case.

In substance the plan provides that both the department and the railroads agree in every way to expedite and actively press the case to be determined upon to a final decision in the supreme court and that during the pendency of these suits the government will not begin prosecution of any carriers for failure to apply the law. During its pendency the carriers will institute no more suits and at its determination both parties to the agreement will be bound by the supreme court decion, the carriers not to bring further action if the law is found constitutional and to drop all others. Neither party is bound by the agreement to refrain from efforts to secure legislation which might change the Adamson act.

A. H. Harris of the New York Central, F. I. Cowen and Frederick D. McKenney of Pennsylvania and C. M. Dawes of the Burlington, who have participated in the conferences here approached the department as spokesmen for the railroads generally. Their authority now has been delegated to Mr. Hines who is a member of the conference committee of counsel for roads west of Chicago and there is no doubt that whatever he agrees upon will be acceptable to them.

Begins Work in Earnest.

The joint congressional committee investigating the subject of transportation began its work in earnest today with A. P. Thom, counsel for the railway executive advisory committee, speaking for two hours and a half on railroad problems of the day. He may not end his argument before the end of the week. Mr. Thom went into many phase of railroad conditions but dwelt particularly on their need for credit if they are to extend and keep transportation facilities up to the standard the public demands. He said in the last sixteen years the percentage of railroad securities constituting transactions against the property had increased from about 49 percent to about 65 percent of the total securities and predicted financiers who would come before the committee later would testify that the danger line had been reached. The investing public, Mr. Thom said demanded a six percent return and a three percent surplus fund yearly to provide against lean years, and such return is almost impossible on railroad stocks under present conditions. He pointed out that Europe not only has ceased to take American railway stocks but is selling back hundreds of millions of those once owned, and that the new money to keep the roads going to extend them and to open up vast undeveloped fields, must come from the American people who are now unwilling to invest.

"If government ownership of railroads comes in this country," said Mr. Thom, "it will be because of the need of credit which private owners cannot supply."

He added that in his opinion one way to reduce the cost of living is to give the railroads capital to open up new territory.

"The decision of the American people has gone forth," said the witness in conclusion, "that the railroads must stay out of politics. They should see to it that the side that wants to attack railroads stays out of politics too. I plead for a nonpartisan regulation of railroads that would give every guarantee possible that questions shall be decided on principles of business righteousness and not on principles of political expediency."

CHICAGO "EGG KING" CONTROLS 72,000,000 EGGS

CHICAGO, Nov. 23—James E. Wetz, a Chicago egg speculator, sometimes called the "egg king" said today he controls 72,000,000 eggs, which he purchased last April at an average price of twenty cents a dozen. Last year, Mr. Wetz asserted he lost speculating in eggs and is endeavoring to recover this year.

GEORGIA TECH STILL LEADS.

New York, Nov. 23.—There was no change of leadership in either the high team or individual score standing as a result of the football games of last Saturday. Georgia Tech still heads the elevens of the east and adjoining territory with a total of 387 points for eight games.

CARTOONIST DIES.

Dayton, O., Nov. 23.—Devoss Woodward Driscoll, aged 43, well known cartoonist, died at a local hospital last night. He had been ill about one month. Driscoll originated the "mule Maud" cartoons.

ANNOUNCE WORLD'S CROP PRODUCTION

Grain Growing Countries Produce 2,222,914,000 Bushels of Wheat—Corn Crop in U. S. Estimated at 86.5 Per Cent of Last Year's and 97.6 Per Cent of Five Year Average.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Combined wheat crops this year of fourteen of the world's grain growing countries are estimated at 72.4 per cent of last year's production in a cablegram received at the department of agriculture today from the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome. The aggregate production is placed at 2,222,914,000 bushels, or 92.6 per cent of the five year average. The countries are Spain, England and Wales, Ireland, Norway, The Netherlands, Roumania, the firty-eight governments of European Russia, Switzerland, Canada, the United States, India, Japan, Egypt and Tunis.

A better showing is made in other grains. Nine countries report a rye crop of 936,956,000 bushels, 94.4 per cent of last year's crop and 114.8 per cent of the average.

Fourteen give a barley crop of 958,573,999 bushels, 90 per cent of the previous and 102.6 per cent of the average. Oats produced in twelve countries is put at 2,754,658,000 bushels which is 83.2 per cent of the crop last year and 105.7 per cent of the average. Six countries report a 2,804,772,000 bushel crop of corn, 85.7 per cent of last year and 96.7 of the average.

The wheat crop of England and Wales together is put at 82 per cent of last year's and 99.6 per cent of the average and Italy's at 103.5 per cent and 96.3. The barley crop in England and Wales is 115:2 per cent and 85.8 of the average; Italy's 91.5 and 100. The oats production of England and Wales is 100 per cent and 105.2 per cent; Italy's 82.9 and 70.6 per cent. Italy's rye crop is 122.5 per cent and 100.3 per cent.

Corn production is given as follows:

Italy, 64.6 per cent of last year, and 78.5 of the average; 48 governments of European Russia, 91.7 per cent and 102.5 per cent.

Switzerland, 114.3 per cent and 139.1 per cent; Canada 43.6 per cent and 37.3 per cent; Japan 109.4 per cent and 119.8 per cent.

The corn crop in the United States is estimated at 86.5 per cent of last year's and 97.6 per cent of the five year average.

EVIDENCE TO GRAND JURY NEXT JANUARY

Federal Investigators Will not Appear Before U. S. Grand Jury for Some Weeks.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Evidence, based upon the reports of federal investigators, will not be presented to the United States grand jury sitting hert to attempt to fix the responsibility for the soaring prices of food, until some time in January, it was learned today.

Altho the final reports of ten weeks investigation is in the hands of the United States district attorney and it is said that there are numerous cases tending to show that the actions of dealers have been suspicious, no tangible evidence, sufficient for an indictment, is contained in any one of the hundreds or more reports.

ELGIN FOOTBALL PLAYER IS DEAD

Seventeen Year Old Lad Dies Following Operation to Remove a Bloodclot on Brain.

Elgin, Ill., Nov. 23.—Cyril Pritchard, 17 years old, fullback of the Elgin high school lightweight football team died today following an operation to remove a bloodclot on the brain resulting from an accident in a game against the East Aurora lightweight football team Nov. 11.

Teams Disband.

Elgin, Ill., Nov. 23.—The Elgin football schedule has been cancelled on account of Pritchard's death and both local teams disbanded for the season.

MONTREAL EDITOR KILLED IN ACTION

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Major John S. Lewis, editor of the Montreal Star, who went to the front a year ago with the Canadian Grenadier Guards, and who recently was wounded, has been reported killed in action, according to word received by Chicago friends today.

Major Lewis was born in Tennessee forty-two years ago and was graduated from the University of Chicago, taking graduate work at Harvard and Heidelberg. He was a reporter on the Chicago Inter-Ocean, leaving here seventeen years ago. Since then he had become a British citizen.

PRESIDENT REPLIES TO HUGHES MESSAGE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—President Wilson today sent a telegram to Charles E. Hughes acknowledging his message of congratulation received last night.

The president's telegram said:

"I am sincerely obliged to you for your message of congratulation. Allow me to assure you of my good wishes for the years to come."

COMMISSION REPORTS.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The physical valuation of the New Orleans, Texas and Mexican Railway, announced today by the Interstate Commerce Commission places the cost of reproduction at $8,865,636. It is capitalized at $40,938,031.

STATE CLOSES CASE AGAINST M'DANIEL

Announcement Comes As Surprise To Defense Attorneys

Chief of Defense Counsel Declares Unexpected Closing of Prosecution's Case Marks Complete Breakdown of Accusation That McDaniel Killed His Wife—Defense May Present no Case.

ST. JOSEPH, M., Nov. 23—No case may be presented by the defense when the trial of Prosecutor Oscar D. McDaniel is resumed in the criminal court here tomorrow afternoon. Judge C. F. Strop, chief counsel for the defense declared here late tonight after a conference with other attornies that the defense probably would announce itself as believing the innocence of the accused man who is charged with having murdered his wife was shown before the state closed its case today.

Earlier in the night the defense announced the accused prosecutor would be the first witness called.

Following a conference tonight between Attorney General Barker and Bart M. Lockwood, special prosecutor, it was announced the state expected to be able to call in rebuttal the "major part" of its witnesses who have not yet been placed on stand.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 23.—Unexpectedly the state closed its case late today against Prosecutor Oscar D. McDaniel, charged with the murder of Mrs. Harriet Moss McDaniel, his wife.

The announcement made in criminal court here by Attorney General John T. Barker came as a surprise to the defence attorneys and others, after Miss Aileene Moss, the thirty-first state witness, sister of the slain woman, had testified for less than half an hour.

McDaniel's counsel, it was announced, will commence its defense when court re-convenes tomorrow.

Only a few witnesses will be called to refute the state's charge according to Judge C. F. Strop, chief of the defense counsel, who declared the unexpected closing of the prosecution's case marked, in effect, a complete breakdown of the accusation that Mrs. McDaniel was killed by her husband.

Judge Strop said no demurrer to the state's case would be filed as the defense desired the evidence to go to the jury.

"We believed that the psychological time had come to end our case," Attorney General Barker said tonight.

The state's announcement was met by smiles from the accused man and his sister and father, who have set beside him in the dingy little court room since the trial began. Mr. McDaniel said that, altho he had not expected the state to close its case so quickly, he had expected the case against him to fail to produce any startling testimony.

"Our defense probably will be short," said Judge Strop after court had adjourned.

McDaniel to Be First Witness

The accused man will be the first witness in his own behalf, Judge Strop added.

The state's announcement resulted in what was almost a reception for the accused prosecutor. Friends of the accused man gathered around him and shook his hands.

R. A. Hartley head of a local detective agency, gave further details today concerning a visit by Mrs. Daniels to his office early in May last year for the purpose of employing detectives to "watch her husband and concerning the trail followed by bloodhounds from the McDaniel home and back to it the morning following the murder."

Ross Cox, circuit clerk, told of a visit to his office by Mrs. McDaniel in connection with a political fight of her husband.

Witness quoted the woman as saying that she "hoped a separation would not result." He then testified the couple was the "only one in his set which did not have little fusses and that Mrs. McDaniel frequently had said she was the 'happiest woman in the world.' "

D. O. Kelly, sanitary inspector, testified to having met Mrs. McDaniel on the street about six o'clock the night she was murdered. The conversation between the two was excluded from the testimony with the exception of her last exclamation, reported by the witness as having been, "if you only knew" accompanied by a gesture of the hands.

Miss Aileene Moss, sister of the slain woman, who gave testimony at the coroner's inquest that favored McDaniel, testified today that shortly before the murder the prosecutor had desired his wife to accompany him to the home of Mrs. Dagmar Krucker. Mrs. McDaniel had desired not to go it was declared because she had some sewing to do but McDaniel declared "this is the time that I am going to assert my authority as a husband" and the visit was made. Miss Moss, under cross-examination, said she had proposed, after the murder that she, her mother, aged father and brother live at the McDaniel home this winter because her mother "desired to aid in rearing" the motherless McDaniel children. The offer was not accepted by the prosecuting attorney she said. She reported a conversation in which McDaniel was quoted as having said, Helen, his small daughter, should be allowed "to forget her mother." The conversation took place about a week after the crime, Miss Moss said.

REFUSES TO COMPLY.

London, Nov. 23.—The Greek government has refused to comply with the demand of the Entente Allies for the surrender of part of its supplies of arms and ammunition, the Reuter's Athens correspondent cables.

War News Summarized

The Teutonic allies in the Wallachian province are continuing advance against the Roumanians. The operations there, according to the latest German official communication are progressing in accordance with our plans.

Semi-official advices from Berlin are that General Von Falkenhayn's army up to November 21st, had taken 11,000 square kilometers of wheat soil in Wallachia, and with the capture of the railroad, had shut off the communication of all the Roumanian troops west of Craicova.

Berlin records the reinforcement of the Russians on the eastern Transylvanian border, but the locality where they have arrived is not definitely stated. In the Alt region Bucharest reports the Roumanians are holding their positions.

Except in Macedonia, little fighting of moment is taking place. Here in the vicinity of Monastir and in the region between Lakes Presba and Ochrida, battles of considerable proportion are in progress. North of Monastir the Germans and Bulgarians have received reinforcements and are stubbornly resisting the further advance of the entente allied troops.

Dobromier and Paralovo have fallen into the hands of the French and Serbs, according to Paris, while west of Lake Presba the Italians have pushed their lines further forward. Berlin asserts that to the east of Lake Ochrida the Italians have been forced to retreat.

On the front in France with a return of better weather, the artillery actions have become more violent. More infantry attacks have been reported.

Bad weather continues in the Austro-Italian theater, and artilleay duels alone have prevailed there.

ROOSEVELT STARTS REVOLUTION AGAINST PRESIDENT WILSON

According To El Democrata, a Mexican Newspaper Published At Chihuahua City—Is Probable Mexican View of Natural Course of Events.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 25.—Roosevelt has started a revolution against President Wilson, according to a despatch printed in El Democrata, the leading newspaper of Chihuahua City, which, however, qualified the report by printing a question mark in the heading.

The despatch which appears in the issue of the 22nd of this month is placed under a Mexico City date. It reads as follows:

"Alarming rumors have been circulating in this city which say that Colonel Theodore Roosevelt heads a revolution that has broken out in several states of the American union, with the object of overthrowing President Wilson, who Roosevelt claims authorized various electoral frauds in order to triumph in the past election.

"High officials in this city and some diplomats state with confidence that this rumor is a canard of the Mexican yellow press which is hostile to Wilson. The American ambassador has already telegraphed to Washington in order to inform himself as to the truth of the report."

WILL NOT MATERIALLY AFFECT COURSE OF WAR

London Papers Do not Believe Emperor's Death Will Affect Any Change.

London, Nov. 23.—The editorials in the morning newspapers today concur in the view that the death of Emperor Francis Joseph and the accession of a new monarch will not materially affect the course of the war.

"The future of Austria-Hungary," says the Morning Post, "was never darker or more foreboding. Whatever the outcome of the war she stands to lose. Even if the Central Powers avoid a decisive defeat she will remain a vassal of Germany, in fact, if not in name."

CLAIM LOAN POLITICAL AND NOT INDUSTRIAL

Bankers of Quintuple Group Protest Chinese Loan.

Peking, Nov. 23.—The British, French, Russian and Japanese bankers of the Quintuple group have sent a letter to the minister of finance saying that the loan arranged for with the Chicago banks violates article 17 of the reorganiaztion loan agreement of April 26, 1913. The letter declares the loan is political and not industrial and asks for an explanation.

The Chinese parliament recently unanimously approved a loan of $5,000,000 gold made by the Chinese government with the Continental and Commercial Bank of Chicago. The loan was said to be for immediate administrative needs.

INQUIRE INTO AMOUNT OF FOODSTUFFS STORED.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Inquiry to ascertain the amount of butter, eggs, poultry and vegetables stored in Chicago warehouses was begun today by Chairman William L. O'Connell of the Illinois State Public Utilities commission. Letters bearing the chairman's signature were sent to eight cold storage plants with a request that the desired information be furnished immediately.

The utilities commission is seeking a comparative statement showing the amount of produce in Chicago warehouses Nov. 1 and Nov. 23, 1916 and on the same dates in 1915.

VILLA WITHDRAWS FORCES IN DEFEAT

Bandit's Attack On Chihuahua City Lasts Seven Hours

Makes Four Attempts To Carry General Trevino'ss First Line Trenches—Villa Leaves Many of His Band Dead and Wounded On Plain South of City.

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 23.—Francisco Villa withdrew his surviving forces in defeat from Chihuahua City at 6:15 o'clock tonight after a battle of seven hours during which he made fruitless attempts to carry General Trevino's protecting works by assault according to reports reaching here via Juarez.

Makes Four Attacks.

Juarez, Mexico., Nov. 23.—Four times today Francisco Villa attacked the first line trenches which defend Chihuahua City and four times he was repulsed, leaving his dead and wounded on the plains outside of the city to the south, said reports to military headquarters received by General Gonzales here from the beseiged city.

At 11 o'clock a. m., today, (Mountain time) the high crowned hats of the bandits were seen to the south along the Mexican Central main line according to these messages.

The battle was opened a few minutes later with a salvo from cannons on Santa Rosa hill, the key to the state capital. The first and second line trenches, protected by barbed wire entanglements took up the fighting and by noon a general engagement was in progress along the entire southern line, which continued thru the early afternoon. At that time the booming of large caliber guns on Santa Rosa, and other artillery stationed at intervals along the first line trenches was so deafening that it was almost impossible to hear the click of telegraph instruments, the military operator in Chihuahua City told the operator in Juarez. At three o'clock the battle was still raging, the apparent advantage being with the government forces. Villa is reported by General Gonzales to have at least 3,500 men, practically all of whom are well armed and mounted. He is also believed to have much guns but no heavy artillery. For this reason the 20 or more heavy field guns of General Trevino's command were able to rake the advancing Villa bandits, the messages from the state capital stated.

The field was covered with dead and dying men, one message stated.

A sortie by Carranza cavalry, supported by artillery, resulted in the capture of many Villa prisoners who were without ammunition.

Key to State Capital.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 23.—Santa Rosa Hill, an eminence five hundred feet high about one mile from the plaza in Chihuahua City is the key to the state capital and northern Mexico prominent American refugees from Chihuahua City declare.

It was in the vicinity of this hill that Villa and his constitutioalist forces attacked Chihuahua City early in November, 1913. He was driven off by General Salvador Mercado's artillery and then Villa encircled Chihuahua City, attacked and took Juarez on Nov. 15th, of the same year. After Villa entered the state capitol on September 16th, of the present year the Associated Press correspondent reported having seen Villa and his "golden ones" on Santa Rosa Hill. This hill is an elevation ebtween mountains, the American refugees here say and must be taken before an entrance can be made into the city. On this hill General Trevino has mounted several large caliber cannons, according to the Americans and had further fortified it with machine guns and had built barbed wire entanglements around the base of the hill with flanking lines of trenches and barbed wire entanglements.

The refugees believe a greater part of the fighting today occurred in the vicinity of Colonia Dale, a British settlement to the southwest of Chihuahua City. To attack the forces in the vicinity of this natural fortification from the south it would be necessary for the bandits to cross an open plain the Americans familiar with the locality say. It was there that the heavy losses in the Villa forces is believed to have occurred.

Chihuahua City Defenses.

The following description of the Chihuahua City defense was prepared in advance by the Associated Press correspondent there, who is a refired army officer.

"Santa Rosa Hill dominates the city and surrounding terrain. It is fortified with seven cannon of large calibre. It commands the approaches to the city from the south, southeast and southwest and makes possible the sweeping of the plains below with shrapnel and machine guns fire."

MUST SECURE $350,000 BY 6TH OF DECEMBER

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 23.—Officials of Bedding College at Abingdon, Ill., today announced that they had secured $240,000 in their campaign for $250,000. Unless the full amount is secured by December 6th, at midnight, it is probable that the Methodist College will be forced to close down.

ANNOUNCES THIRD RAISE IN WAGES

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 23.—The Amoskeag Manufacturing company, whose cotton manufacturing plant employing 18,000 persons is said to be the largest in the world, announced tonight a raise in wages "substantially the same in amount as given in other textile cities in New England," to take effect on Dec. 1st. This is the third increase granted by the company in the calendar year.

MASKED MEN HOLDUP EXPRESS MESSENGER

Rob American Express Car on Chicago and Northwestern Railroad of $1,000 in Cash and Valuables and Escape.

Chicago, Nov. 23—Two masked men held up the messenger on an express car on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad train No. 508 after it left Barrington, Ill., tonight and in the 30 minutes run to Chicago, rifled the safe of cash estimated at $1,000, selected what valuables they wanted from the packages and dropped the rest off the train when it reached Clybourn Junction, switching stop in the heart of this city.

The express car was operated by the American Express company. The holdup was not discovered until ten minutes later when the train reached the downtown station. The train crew found the messenger, W. E. Cater, strapped to his chair, gagged and half conscious. The holdups had strewn the floor of the car with checks and securities and after getting all negotiable securities escaped.

The train runs between Elroy, Wis., and Chicago. It left Barrington, 31 miles out at 5:40 o'clock on time. When the train had attained full speed two men entered the end door of the car each with a revolver pointed at the messenger. Each wore a long stocking cap pulled over his face with holes cut for the eyes and mouth. Cater was half the length of the car from his sawed off shotgun and put his hands up. He was bound to the chair and the search for the valuables begun.

The robbers, secure for thirty minutes, worked leisurely but thoroly. A number of gold watches were stuffed into the pockets of one. There were between 75 and 100 packages of valuables in the safe and all were examined carefully. Officials of the express company said it was impossible to determine how much had been taken until these all were checked up.

LONDONS BODY WILL BE CREMATED TODAY

No Relatives Will Be Present at Cremation in Oakland—Burial Will Be Private.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Nov. 23—Only the immediate relatives and intimate friends of Jask London, who died last night at his Glen Ellen stock farm near here, were permitted today to view the body of the man who was California's best known contemporaneous author, pending completion of arrangements for the funeral. London will be buried in Oakland, in the family plot, probably Friday. The ceremony probably will be private, the deceased author having expressed such a wish.

London complained of indigestion when he went to bed Tuesday night, but notwithstanding, during his last conscious hours, sat propped up in bed writing. His physicians attributed death to "a gastromtestinal type of uremia."

Besides his widow, the Charmion of his books, he is survived by two daughters by his first wife, Joan and Bess, the oldest of whom is seventeen; a sister, Mrs. Eliza Shepard, and his mother.

The news of London's death was broken last night to the first Mrs. London, who lives in Oakland. She declared that the news staggered her—that he had so much before him.

The body of Jack London will be cremated in Oakland tomorrow. No relatives will be present.

FRENCH AVIATOR GETS TWENTY-SECOND FLYER

PARIS, Nov. 23.—Sub Lieutenant George Guynmer, the well known French aviator, has brought down his twenty-second German airplane, according to announcement made by the French war office this afternoon. Guynmer secured his last victory over a German airman only five days ago.

British airplanes have thrown bombs upon German torpedo boats tied up to the dock at Zeebrugge.

The French communication also says:

"French bombing airplanes threw down yesterday numerous projectiles upon railroad stations and bivouacks behind the enemy front in the Somme region."

MEN CONFESS TO FRAUDULENT VOTING

One Kansas City Man Swears He Voted 37 Times and Knows of Forty Others Who Did the Same.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 23.—Affidavits from four men swearing they voted fraudulently in the election of Nov. 7th, and that to their knowledge others of their acquaintance did likewise were in the hands of Francis M. Wilson, United States district attorney here tonight.

The affidavits were based on alleged confessions of men who declared themselves members of a gang who fraudulently registered and voted from different precincts in the north end of the city. One man in his alleged confession swore he voted 37 times and that he knew of forty more who voted as many times and in as many places.

DISTILLERS NET OVER $3,000 LAST SEASON

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 23.—Profits of the Peoria Three Eye League Baseball club last season amounted to over $3,000, according to reports made at the annual stockholders meeting here tonight. Joe Tinker, manager of the Cubs and part owner of the Peoria team who received $1,200 of the earnings, made Manager Bill Jackson of the Peoria team a present of half of this amount.

HIGH WAGES HAMPER U. S. NAVY RECRUITING

Paymaster General Says Cost of Living Is Also a Factor

Explains to House Naval Committee Why There are But 55,000 Men in Service, Altho Congress Has Authorized a Total Strength of 77,000.

WASHINGTON Nov. 23 — High wages ashore and increased cost of living have seriously hampered navy recruiting, Rear-Admiral McGowan, paymaster general, told the house naval committee today in explanation of why there are only about 55,000 enlisted men in the service, altho congress has authorized a total strength of 77,000. He said it was hoped that a total of 70,000 could be reached by the end of 1918.

"Their inability to send home enough money to keep those dependent upon them is the governing factor in preventing many men from enlisting," said the admiral. From long experience with the accounts of bluejackets, he said, he was certain a majority had wives, mothers, sisters or other dependents at home, adding:

"And they are the most generous and big harted men that ever lived. We are just about keeping even in recruiting now and that condition will continue while the present high wages prevail."

Re-enlistments now average about 85 per cent of the available men and the percentage steadily is going up.

"There is something about the life that men love," Admiral McGowan said. "Most of those who make good in the navy love it so well that they want to stay."

Aside from slow enlistments, the witness said the navy was feeling directly the high cost of living. The average cost per man per day for rations in 1916, he said, was 37.062 cents; but in the last quarter of that year a figure of 38.975 cents was recorded, indicating a heavy advance for the whole of the 1917 year. Careful purchases in great bulk reduced costs somewhat, but he warned the committee that additional appropriations on this item for 1917 might be necessary as the quantity and quality of the navy rations would not be reduced under any circumstances.

A letter from Surgeon General Braisted based on reports of medical officers was read asserting that United States sailors were the best fed, best clothed and generally best cared for men-o-warsmen in the world.

Admiral McGowan's estimates showed that the navy expected to pay 20 cents a gallon for the enormous amount of gasoline to be consumed in its aircraft, motor boats, and submarines, the quotations being a heavy advance over the last previous estimates. It was shown also that the consumption of fuel oil in the navy probably will reach 60,000,000 gallons in 1918 as against 15,000,000 two years ago.

Rear-Admiral Griffin, chief of the bureau of steam engineering will appear before the committee tomorrow and on Monday the perplexing problems of personnel, both commissioned and enlisted, will be taken up with Rear-Admiral Palmer, the new chief of the bureau of navigation.

INDIANAPOLIS PROTESTS ADVANCE IN RATES

Complaint Is Made That Indianapolis Live Stock Market Suffers from Discrimination.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, Indianapolis Abbattoir company, and the Indianapolis Livestock Exchange complained today to the Interstate Commerce Commission that because of material advances in rates from Illinois and the west to indianapolis while rates to Chicago, Peoria and East St. Louis continued unchanged, the relation between competitive live stock markets had been destroyed and that Indianapolis as a live stock market suffers from discrimination.

YANKEE CLUB PLANS GREAT BASEBALL PARK

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—News that the New York American League Baseball Club has laid plans to build the greatest baseball park in the country with a double decked grand stand to hold 28,000 and bleachers and pavillions to make a total capacity of 50,000 persons was given out here tonight by B. B. Johnson, president of the American League. He had just returned from French Lick, Ind., where the plans were fully gone over with Jacob Ruppert and Captain Huston and announced that practically the only unsettled business was to get the grounds.

PERMIT TO INCORPORATE.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—A permit to incorporate was issued today to the Cadillac Company of Quincy to manufacture and deal in motor vehicles. The capital is $10,000. The incorporators are Rollin Travis, C. R. Fulmer and R. D. Law.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois—Fair Friday and Saturday; colder Friday.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were:

Jacksonville	38	51	38
Boston	58	58	36
Buffalo	46	56	44
New York	56	58	38
New Orleans	60	64	5[illegible]
Chicago	40	50	[illegible]
Detroit	46	54	
Omaha	32	42	
St. Paul	26	[illegible]	
Helena	22		
San Fran[illegible]			
Winnipe[illegible]			

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Killed by Zeps and Autos.

(New Haven, Conn., Journal)

In twenty-five months of the war Zeppelins killed 368 persons in England and injured 870. In eight months of 1916 automobiles killed 1,040 persons in the United States and injured 8,000. The killed and injured by Zeppelins in England were mostly women and children. The late Queen Victoria's grandson, William Hohenzollern, is most to blame for this, and he was called "the imperial murderer" by a bishop in St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

In Touch With Sentiment

No better indication of the trend of public thought in relation to the liquor industry could be furnished than that which came in the recommendations submitted to the United States Brewers association in session at Cleveland. These recommendations include abandonment of brewery signs on building exteriors, abolition of treating by proprietor, removal of screens, closer supervision of licenses and the giving up of objectionable advertising.

These recommendations have the sound of a reform organization and the question before the liquor men is whether the effort to better conditions has come too late. Undoubtedly flagrant action in the conduct of the liquor business had much to do with the present dry wave.

The Dulled Senses

The sinking of the Britannic gives another fine example of the heartlessness of war. The great ship was especially for relief work and its equipment included 6,000 hospital beds. In the earlier days of the war our feelings would have been terribly lacerated by this happening. It would have seemed that relief work and the aid given by the Red Cross society should certainly escape attack. But our feelings, like those of the combatants, are being dulled as the conflict moves on and we accept the Britannic's sinking just as a mere incident of the raging war. We pass on and are ready for other developments.

No End in Sight

The British Lord, Derby, declares that only a fool would prophesy about the end of the war and adds that the allies cannot entertain any idea of peace which does not give them what they are fighting for. Indeed there have been no recent signs of peace and the world inclines to the expressed opinion that the struggle will continue for some years to come. This fact only defers the after war conditions for both the European countries and the United States. It may mean too that the unexampled prosperity of this country is likely to continue for some time yet. It will be unfortunate indeed, if the American people cannot be made to see the necessity which exists for using such economies that some earnings from the present prosperity may be stored up for use during the lean years that are certain to come.

The Latest News

The last two days has furnished a striking illustration of the advantage of the down state papers served by the Associated Press have over the Chicago Tribune and other city papers in the ability to furnish readers the latest news. The Chicago papers received in Jacksonville Wednesday had no notice of the death of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria. Yesterday these papers stated that Jack London was seriously ill but they did not have the details of the writer's final hours.

The reason is very simple. The editions of the city papers received in Jacksonville go to press at 11 o'clock. The telegraphic columns of the Journal and other down state papers served by the Associated Press carry all the happenings up to 2 o'clock a. m., and if news "breaks" at a late hour the wires are held open to 3 or possibly 4 o'clock for the purpose of giving the readers the very latest hapenings.

The Chicago papers give their readers more pages of matter than do the smaller papers but when it comes to late news they must serve it up 24 hours afterward for their down state readers.

The Journal is justly proud of the Associated Press report which it is able to daily present, a report which is the composite labor of thousands of correspondents scattered all over the world. Every happening of interest or importance is carried in this service and it contains each day the events of several hours of the night which cannot be found in the city press.

Preparing for Winter Work

As preparations are being made here for a united effort on the part of the charity organizations to take care of the needy this winter, it is interesting to note conditions elsewhere. In Decatur the papers state that applications for aid thus far this year have been far less in number than was true in 1915. In Chicago the record for the first nine months of this year show that 14,670 families had sought aid, whereas during the year previous the number of families had been 22,105. In the annals of Chicago charity affairs the period 1914-15 was known as the "year of horrors" because it was twelve months of industrial stagnation and the applications for assistance broke all former records. But statistics show that during that year but thirty three per cent of applicants for assistance indicate cases of illness, while for the year just closing the per cent has climbed to forty seven per cent. The Chicago authorities use these statistics to prove that the cases of sickness this year were the direct result of depleted physical strength which came in the "year of horrors." The superintendent of the united charities of Chicago declares in his annual report that the figures for the years quoted give striking testimony that the average family earnestly desires to be independent of charity assistance for their families rather than work are the exceptions. The report refered to also contains these paragraphs, which have application to our local situation:

"It is hoped that the community will not overlook these facts during the curent year of prosperity. A right view of the situation would lead to the conviction that just because we shall probably have something less than "a year of horror" our opportunity is rich for doing the best sort of constructive work.

"Our chance is here for doing more than a rush emergency relief job. Our chance is here for doing that kind of fine personal service which will mean the restoring of health, the development of efficiency, the strengthening of character, the checking of exploitation, the leading of despairing folk out into the way of ambition and light.

"In the larger field there will be no better time than in this year to establish those means and measures and institutions which will prevent the pulling down, the sliding down, the falling down of the weak and unwary in our midst. Will we grasp this rich opportunity or will we ignore and spurn it? Of ourselves and of the general public we ask this question in deep seriousness."

MAKING DIMES AND DOLLARS GO FURTHER

Here is a menu for Sir Dr. John Dill Robertson's diet squad in Chicago. The day's cost for the food served each individual was less than 40c. The variety is undoubtedly large enough and if the quantities were generous certainly there was a plentiful supply of nourishing food. Forty cents a day means $2.80 a week, which doesn't have the sound of high prices or hard times. An experiment with this bill of fare or one like it better suited to your individual taste might be worth trying.

Breakfast
Stewed pears
Rolled oats
Fried hominy and sirup
Toast. Coffee.

Luncheon
Puree of lima beans
Salisbury steak (Hamburger and onions)
Chocolate Blanc mange
Bread. Butter.
Tea.

Dinner
Vegetable soup
Pot roast
Sauted parsnips
Cranberry sauce
Rice and raisin pudding
Tea

Buy a 10c pair of rubber heels and when you wear low heeled shoes with high heeled rubbers put them in the theels of the rubbers. This will prolong the life of the rubbers.

After freezing ice cream dump the cracked ice onto a sack. When the ice has melted there will be nearly as much salt as at first. It can be used over and over again in this way.

A pinch of soda added to acid fruits while cooking lessens the amount of sugar required.

It is well to remember in buying cereals that oat meal and cracked wheat bought in bulk are much cheaper than the breakfast foods which come in packages.

Canned vegetables are somewhat expensive in a small family but by a little planning it is possible to have two meals from the contents of one can. For instance, part of a can of tomatoes may be served stewed with bits of toast. The remainder may be scalloped or served on toast with green pepers and a little onion. This is Spanish toast and is very good.

A few spoonfuls of canned corn left over may be used in corn fritters or in a baked corn custard.

An inexpensive rice pudding is made by cooking 1 tablespoonful of rice in one pint of milk and a table spoonful of sugar. Then put in a baking dish in a moderate oven for an hour or more, and as a crust forms on top turn it underneath and the bottom part up, and repeat until the whole is soft and creamy and a delicate brown. Then let the top brown. Raisins or chopped dates can be added if desired.

A reader of the Journal has sent in the following sugestion:

"I have found since potatoes have advanced so in price that flaked hominy is a splendid substitute for them. Put a few cupfuls in stew pan and pour over boiling water sufficient to cover. Let boil a few minutes then set aside to cool. When cold season highly with salt and pepper, put in hot frying pan containing drippings or just plain lard. Let fry to a delicate brown, taking care not to burn."

Shortcake is inexpensive and can be made in winter as well as in summer. Make a rather thin layer of shortcake, split it open while warm, spread with a little butter and sugar and a thick layer of jam or rich preserves. Serve with a boiled custard.

Turn down the gas burner as soon as the food begins to cook. It is a common mistake to suppose that when the water in a vessel reaches the boiling point it will continue to get warmer if the gas is left turned on full.

HAVANA CITY COUNCIL APPOINTS CITY SEALER

Will Keep Tab on Local Merchants and Their Weights and Measures

Havana, Ill., Nov. 23—At the request of the employes of the Crescent Forge and Shocel company and the Havana Metal Wheel works, which employ thousands of men, the city council of Havana has appointed a city sealer whose special duty will be to keep tab on local merchants and their weights and measures. According to statements of the workmen, they are under the impression that the merchants are not only charging them unheard of prices but are also short weighting them. At a large mass meeting the men decided to purchase all their groceries and other necessities, even dry goods, by the pound.

DECATUR PROTESTS AGAINST LIVING COST

DECATUR, Ill. Nov. 23—Resolutions were forwarded today by the City of Decatur to President Wilson and Congressman McKinley protesting against the high cost of living. The resolutions, which were formally adopted by the city council, favor an embargo on all foodstuffs until a new crop is harvested.

TO WAGE VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 23—Expressing a determination to wage vigorously their 1917 votes for women campaign the delegates of the New York Suffrage party concluded their 48th annual convention late today. The following resolution on the high cost of living was adopted:

"The New York State woman suffrage party, believing that unenfranchised persons are at a great disadvantage whether producers or consumers, does affirm that until we vote we cannot hope to arrest the present deplorable distress known as 'the high cost of living.'"

NET INWARD GOLD MOVEMENT $469,800,000

Washington, Nov. 23.—The net inward gold movement for the twelve months ending with November 1st, was estimated today at $469,800,000 in a department of commerce statement. Total imports were $586,000,000 and $117,000,000 in gold was exported. During the previous year the gold balance was only $326,500,000, and during the year before that imports were smaller by $167,200,000 than exports.

KILLS WIFE AND SELF

Geneva, Ill., Nov. 23—During a quarrel with his wife today, Clayton Loomis shot her and then killed himself. Mrs. Lomis is in a critical condition. A note in Loomis' pocket said he had tried to give his wife a good home but that it was no longer possible for them to live together. The five children of the couple witnessed the shooting.

RESIGNS FROM COUNTY BOARD.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—Jacob Frisch, elected to the state legislature at the recent election, resigned his position on the county board of supervisors today.

MURRAYVILLE TO PLAY

The Murrayville high school basketball team will go to Franklin today and will meet the team from F. H. S. tonight at Marquette hall.

COLD WEATHER.

Let us put that Never Freeze in your Radiator today. Illinois Tire & Vulcanizing Co., 313 W. State St.

SUMMONED BY DEATH.

Mrs. Alice Wyatt of Jordan street has gone to Wheeling, West Va., called by the death of her father. Mrs. Wyatt expects to remain in the east for several weeks.

Elliott State Bank

Statement of Condition at Close of Business, November 17, 1916

RESOURCES

Loans	$ 759,469.68
Bonds and Securities	142,745.11
Overdrafts	2,236.47
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	32,500.00
Cash and Exchange	260,025.76
	$1,196,977.02

LIABILITIES

Capital	$ 150,000.00
Undivided Profits	20,850.71
Deposits	1,026,126.31
	$1,196,977.02

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OUR BEST BARGAIN FOR TODAY—238 acres 3½ miles from shipping point, one-half level farming land, balance rolling blue grass pasture land and all in best possible condition, all in grass but 30 acres.

A new 7-room house, furnace, acetylene lights, bath and lavatory with water system furnished from wind mill, hot and cold water; barn for 12 head of horses, garage, implement shed, stock shed, granaries, corn cribs and all necessary out buildings.

A second set of improvements, good two story house, barn and other out buildings. The owner of this land has rented and farmed other land for twenty years, grazing and feeding over this farm. For special reasons this farm can be had for $100 per acre on easy terms. Please tell me when you can go and see it, but do it now.

160 acres in the neighborhood of Woodson, all good farming land, with a fine set of improvements. This is good enough for any one. Let us show you.

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A five room cottage on South East street. $1000.

A four room cottage with an excellent lot near the square. $2000.

Four acres of land, with six room house, good barn, fruit, etc. On paved street, to exchange for a nice 5 or 6 room cottage.

Four acres of land with a good five room house, barn and other buildings on West Norton avenue, to exchange for small farm.

Eight room modern home, close in, to exchange for cottage farther out.

With good weather and good roads, those desiring to see farm lands should not lose a day; I am ready.

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Northminster Church

THOUSAND DOLLAR DAY

November 26, 1916

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COMING

Saturday—A two reel Triangle Keystone "The Mystery of the Leaping Fish," featuring the comedian, Douglas Fairbanks.

Wednesday, Thursday, Nov. 29, 30, three acts vaudeville, including The Novelty Four Quartette, The Three Musical Stewarts, and The Stratford Trio, High Class Dancing.

FUNERALS

Tiff.

Funeral services for William J. Tiff were held from the home of his son William F. Tiff, of North Main street Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church. Hymns were sung by Miss Cora Graham, Mrs. Wallace Brockman, Asa M. Robinson and W. W. Gilliham. The flowers were cared for by Misses Ada and Rose Correa. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being H. A. Barrows, B. F. Henderson, Abe L. Wood, A. M. Robinson, Charles Keehner and B. F. Scott.

SUCCESSFUL DONATION AT OLD PEOPLES' HOME.

A number of friends called Thursday at the Old Peoples' home on the occasion of annual donation day and a quantity of groceries and other articles of household use were generously brought. There were also several substantial cash donations. A load of coal was a gift especially welcomed. Mrs. George Huffaker of New Berlin sent a letter offering to furnish the Thanksgiving dinner for the home and this communication was thankfully received by the board.

John Snyder and Harry Scrup of Alexander expect to leave this morning for Naples to spend several days duck hunting.

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

PROGRESSIVE PIETY

The old time brimstone preacher, when once he waded in, said every human creature was loaded down with sin. Beneath his towering steeple, in bitter, scathing terms, he roasted all the people, and said we were but worms. This poor old earth we cumbered, according to his rede, and when our days were numbered, we'd have some grief, indeed. The hymns that we were singing were of the same grim style, such lines as this one springing, "Where only man is vile." We all of us were lepers, the baby and the dame, the cripples and high steppers—all soaked in sin and shame; the lovely girls were ditto, their beauty was a snare, and none of us were fit to pack liver to a bear. But nowadays the preacher is widing to confess that man is quite a peach, or, at least, a great success. The learned and reverend thriller no longer says I'm vile, or calls me caterpillar, or worm, or crocodile.

THIS DATE IN ILLINOIS HISTORY

November 24, 1778—Shadrach Bond, first governor of Illinois, was born in Frederick county, Maryland.

3,000 MEN GET 10 PER CENT INCREASE

Sharon, Pa., Nov. 23.—More than 3,000 men employed by independent steel concerns in this vicinity have been given an increase of 10 per cent in wages effective Dec. 15th.

Scott's Theatre Today

EDNA MAY

The former "Belle of New York in the Vitagraph Special Blue Ribbon Feature

"SALVATION JOAN"

A Seven-Part Romantic Drama

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CAST

Salvation Joan (Joan Crawford) ..... EDNA MAY
"Bill" (John Hilton ..... Harry T. Morey
Philip Ralston ..... L. Rogers Lytton
Robert Ellison ..... Donald Hall
Madeline Ellison, his wife and Joan's sister ..... Dorothy Kelly
Robert Ellison, Jr. ..... Robert Connelly

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CITY AND COUNTY

Ms. Owen Doyle of Waverly was one of the city callers yesterday.

Henry Foster of Alexander was a caller on city merchants yesterday.

James Parker of Lynnville was a caller on city friends yesterday.

H. Carlson of Joliet was a traveler to the city on business yesterday.

Newton Wilson of Sinclair made a business trip to the city yesterday.

George Peterson of Lynnville paid the city a business visit yesterday.

Harry Jordan of Pekin was a business vistor in the city yesterday.

R. G. Patton of Springfield called on local merchants yesterday.

P. Brown of the east part of the county vistied city people yesterday.

W. T. Graber of Springfield was a caller on city people yesterday.

Frank Weigand of Alexander was a visitor in Jacksonville Thursday.

J. W. Robertson and Charles Ma-

Mrs. G. F. Stewart of Beardstown was among the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

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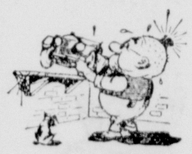
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Bulk Pure Buckwheat, per pound 10c

Libby, McNeal & Libby's Mince Meat, per pound 20c

11½ pounds Sugar for $1.00 with an order for 1 pound Pearberry Coffee.

Fresh home made Bread, per loaf 10c

Come in and get our prices and see the fresh stock just received of White and Yellow Bolted Corn Meal, Wheat Graham Flour, Rye Graham Flour and Health Flour, put up in 10 and 12 pound cloth bags; also just received Bran and Shorts and Chicken Feed which we will be glad to show our customers.

SPECIAL—Nebraska Hard Wheat Flour at $2.70 and $2.90 per 49 pound sack (guaranteed). Phone 150 and we will deliver your order.

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gill of Alexander have returned from a hunting trip to Bath.

Misses Margaret and Theresa Ludwig of Alexander were added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

William Lazenby of Lynnville was added to the list of arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Davison of Havana is visiting her sister on Hardin avenue.

Mrs. F. M. Chandler of Beardstown was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

H. H. Knollenberg has returned from a visit with his son and daughter in Canadian, Texas.

A. C. Moffett of Waverly was a visitor with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

E. C. Hatfield of New Berlin was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

Glen Walker of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Samuel Thompson of the west part of the county was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

William Visor of Chandlerville was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

A. L. Crawford of Springfield made a business trip to the city yesterday.

E. J. Burns of Carrollton, was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Alfred Lumborg of Bloomington was conversing with Jacksonville business men yesterday.

J. L. Stein of Springfield was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

James Jones of the region of Franklin was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

Miss Opal Foreman and Mrs. G. A. Minier of Pearl were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Washer of Champaign were Thursday visitors in the city.

Miss Sada E. Berker of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting in the city for a few days.

Albert Coultas of Winchester spent Thursday in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving W. Kellogg of Louisiana, Mo., were visitors in the city Thursday.

Dr. T. Guy Hethertin was here from Louisiana, Mo., yesterday on business.

S. M. Hussey of Pisgah precinct was one of the business arrivals in the city yesterday.

C. S. Shade of Greenfield was a traveler to the city on business yesterday.

Scott Davenport was a representative of Alexander in the city yesterday.

John P. Ayre of Montcello was a visitor yesterday with some of his Jacksonville friends.

M. B. Murray of Winchester made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Crain Johnson of Franklin was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Uriah Gibbs of Windsor, Ill., was among the transient guests in the city yesterday.

E. A. Kessler of Bloomington made a busines trip to the city yesterday.

F. L. Liblin of Peoria was among the business arrivals in the city yesterday.

E. L. Clark of Literberry was a caller on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

J. W. Blimling of Concord was added to the list of city vistors yesterday.

Henry Seymour of Franklin was called to the city yesterday by business affairs.

Michael Johnson of Waverly made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Fred Craven of Pisgah was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Miss Edith Taylor of Waverly is spending a few days with friends in the city.

W. G. Mueller of Bluffs was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Earl Epler of the Deppe & Co. store has gone to Beardstown for several days to hunt ducks.

Dr. F. G. Eiler of Chapin was a professional visitor in the city Thursday.

Miss Anna Carmichael, attendant at Jacksonville State hospital, has gone to her home in Carterville for a visit of two weeks.

The Fine Point club will meet with Mrs. F. J. Andrews of 1252 West College avenue Saturday afternoon.

Frank Clancy will go to Springfield this evening to attend a dance, given by alumni of Sacred Heart Academy at the hall of the Springfield Elks.

Clarence C. White of Boston, Mass., who gave a concert Wednesday at Mt. Emory church, spent the day Thursday with Frank Mallory. He will leave this forenoon for Springfield, where he will give a concert.

Fred B. Hopper has gone to Lawrence, Kan., and will spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Patterson, mother of Mrs. Hopepr. Mr. and Mrs. Hopper expect to return to Jacksonville early in December.

Paul Brockman of Chapin was one of the visitors in the city yesterday.

George Bolton of the southeast part of the county was among the city's business men yesterday.

Misses Bridge Lockhart and Ellen Coleman have ended a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Magner of this city and have returned to their home in Literberry.

Mrs. J. H. Coleman of Colorado Springs, Colorado, is visiting her friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Laurie and others in this vicinity.

J. W. Woods has added to his service a taxicab driven by Charles Dalrymple and expects to add two more in a short time. Charley already drives as if to the manner born and when the others are added the outfit will be quite complete.

Miss Helen Allcott returned yesterday from Joliet where she was called some days ago by the serious illness of her brother William who was a victim of ptomaine poisoning. He is improving all right and is expected home shortly for a brief rest in which he hopes fully to regain his strength.

Walter C. Bradish has returned from St. Louis where he has been in the interest of the Clover Leaf Casualty company.

P. W. Fox returned Thursday night from St. Charles, Mo., where he went to attend the funeral of his sister.

Gil H. Lane, a director of the Clover Leaf Casualty company is confined to his home in Aiton by a sprained ankle which he suffered while hunting. Mr. Lane used to travel for a drug firm and frequently visited Jacksonville where he has many friends.

John N. DeSilva expects to leave this week for Davenport, Iowa, to live with his son, L. H. DeSilva who has a place two miles out from the city. He is a contractor and at the same time devotes attention to fine poultry and has some excellent hickens. Mr. DeSilva's friends will regret to see him leave Jacksonville but will wish him a pleasant home with his son.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Kewpie Klan Has Anniversary Meeting.

The second anniversary was pleasantly observed by members of the Kewpie Klan Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Georgie Melton and Miss Ruth Peters on West State street. The guests were masked and some of the costumes chosen were very striking. Prizes were won by Miss Della Thomas and Miss Teresa Lonergan. Miss Mildred Smith was a guest of the Klan and Miss Edith Taylor, a charter member, was present from Waverly to attend the meeting. After the contests, dainty refreshments were served.

Northminster Primary Department Social

The primary department of Northminster Presbyterian church Sunday school held a social Thursday evening in the parlors of the church. Mrs. A. P. Vasconcellos, the superintendent, was in general charge. The Sterling quartet assisted, as did Miss Inez Pires, and the musical numbers given were warmly received. The quartet consists of Uriel Goveia, Hiram Day, Earnest Fernandes and Russell Oliver. After the program, ice cream and cake were served.

Entertained Markham G. T. S. Club.

The members of the G. T. S. Club of Markham were entertained at an all day meeting Wednesday by Miss Henrietta Clark at the home of Mrs. A. W. Baldwin on Prairie street. At noon a delightful dinner was served and the afternoon was spent with music and a social time. Those present were Miss Clark, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Wolfe, Mrs. Watt, Mrs. Blimling, Misses Mae and Myrtle Paschell, Norma Perbix, Mary Wolfe, Ethel Thomason and Margaret Wolfe.

Second Delta Dance

The Delta Dancing club held the second dance of the winter series Thursday night at the Peacock Inn. Randall's orchestra furnished the music. There were present about twenty couples. After the program refreshments were enjoyed.

Dance at Degen's.

Fifty couples were present Thursday night at Degen's hall to attend the reception and dance, given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson. A number of the guests were from the Franklin vicinity.

Surprise Party for Mr. and Mrs. Costello

A company of twenty-five friends and neighbors called unexpectedly Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Costello, south of the city. The guests bore well filled baskets and were on merrymaking bent. Hardly had Mr. and Mrs. Costello recovered from their surprise when the evening's festivities began. Games, music and dancing served to pass the time lightly and the evening seemed one of unalloyed pleasure.

There were present Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rook, Miss Clara Rook, Mr. and Mrs. William Mullen and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cain and son, Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach, Mr and Mrs. Arthur Reeve and sons, Mr. and Mrs. McManes, Mrs. Oliver Cain of Jacksonville and Miss Elizabeth Connolly of Murrayville.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS ATTENDING CONVENTION

High school was dismissed Thursday and Friday to allow teachers to attend the state teachers' convention at Champaign. The seventh and eighth grades and the ward buildings continue in session. Supt. Perrin is attending the meeting, as is Mr. Callahan, principal of the high school. The teachers who made the trip to Champaign are Misses Kent, Cafky, Day, Brown, English, Russel, Cowdin, Newman, Rogerson, Balcke, Ellis and Kuechler and Mr. Carter.

BASKETBALL AT FRANKLIN.

The Franklin Independent basketball team will open the winter season on Saturday evening with a game with the New Berlin team in Marquette hall at Franklin. The Independent lineup includes Burnett, Gates, Beerup, Hart, Alford and Gray. All these men have had much experience in the game and the team begins the year under promising auspices.

SPEAKS TO I. W. C. STUDENTS.

A lecture on hygiene was given to various classes at Illinois Woman's college thruout the day Thursday by Dr. Abby Virginia Holmes, of Omaha Neb., here for a visit with Miss Amy Mothershead, dean of the college. Dr. Holmes is a lecturer for the National Young Woman's Christian association and was formerly a practicing physician in Omaha, Neb.

WILLING WORKERS MEET.

The Willing Workers of Alexander M. E. church gathered in the church parlors Thursday for an all day comfort tacking. A luncheon was served at noon.

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Every season we clean out our trimmed Hat stock regardless of the cost. Although this season some earlier than usual, we must follow out our established custom. Now we throw open to the general public 200 or more of this season's Trimmed Hats at ½ price. Black or colors, made from best quality Lyons velvet, trimmed right up in very latest.

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$10.00 for $5.00

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Johnson-Murphy

J. Everett Johnson, north of Franklin, and Miss Margaret Murphy of Jacksonville, were married Thursday morning at 8 o'clock at the church of Our Savior, Rev. Father F. F. Formaz officiating. The young people were attended by Miss Catherine Johnson, sister of the groom, and Francis Murphy, brother of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy and enjoys the respect and esteem of a wide circle of friends. The groom is the son of Evan Johnson and is a young man of worth and industry.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were tendered a reception at Degen's hall. They were to leave at once for a wedding trip to St. Louis. On their return they will make their home for the present at the home of the groom's father.

WITH THE SICK

Ralph W. Hutchison is ill with bronchitis at his home on South Prairie street.

George Hoffercamp of Springfield, for some time a patient at Our Savior's hospital, was able Thursday to leave for his home.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Weber of Chicago, Monday, Nov. 20, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Weber were residents of Jacksonville until three years ago.

DONATION DAY AT PASSAVANT HOSPITAL

It Will Come Thanksgiving Day and A Good Return is Earnestly Desired.

Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving day and it is earnestly desired that a liberal donation may be made to Passavant hospital on that occasion. Anything that can be used in a family will be thankfully received and put to a good use.

MEASLES AT FRANKLIN.

Several cases of measles have been reported among children at Franklin. A daughter of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jerman and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reagel are among those affected.

Misses Alma and Edna Ogle of the vicinity of Grace Chapel were among callers in the city yesterday.

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TAKE STEPS TO CORRECT ERRORS

SACREMENTO, Cal., Nov. 23.—Indications that steps had been taken to correct errors pointed out by Secretary of State Jordan in the official California election returns from Orange and Yuba counties made it appear probable late today that no delay might be expected in the final certification of the state's vote for presidential electors.

Only a few hours' work would be necessary it was said to correct the defective returns.

BRITISH SHIP GRENADA IS SUNK

LONDON, Nov. 23—The British ship Grenada is reported sunk, says an announcement by Lloyds Shipping Agency.

The sinking of the Norwegian steamer City of Mexico, is announced by the agency.

The City of Mexico, of 1,511 tons gross was last reported to have arrived at Nantes on Oct. 27 from Hull.

WILL SUBMIT KANSAS OFFICIAL FIGURES

TOPEKA, Kans., Nov. 23—The official figures on the presidential election in Kansas were compiled today at the office of Secretary of State and which will be submitted for approval next Monday to the state canvassing board, show the following votes:

Wilson 314,588; Hughes 277,656.

CONSIGNS FAMILY TO MERCY OF CHARITY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 23.—(Special)—William Miller, aged 46, residing in the far north part of this city committed suicide early this morning consigning his wife and four children to the mercy of the poor farm or some charitable institution.

WEALTHY MANUFACTURER SUICIDE

Chicago, Nov. 23—William L. Koeschell, wealthy manufacturer shot and killed himself in the library of the Illinois Athletic association. He was 55 years old. No reason for the suicide is known.

(Official Publication)

REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the Farmers State Bank & Trust Company located at Jacksonville, State of Illinois, before the commencement of business on the 18th day of Nov., 1916, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES.

Loans:		
Loans on real estate..	$99,451.17	
Loans on collateral security	3,763.00	
Other loans and discounts	154,140 25	$257,354 42
Overdrafts		1 441.59
Investments:		
United States bonds	100	
State, county and municipal bonds	45,000.00	
Public service corporation bonds	4,900.00—	50,000.00
Miscellaneous Resources:		
Banking house	30,000.00	
Real estate other than banking house	5,759.40	
Furniture and fixtures	7,400.00—	43,159.40
Due from Banks:		
State	27,195.41	
National	5,907.62	33,103.03
Cash on Hand:		
Currency	15,000.00	
Gold coin	7,420.00	
Silver coin	2,635.00	
Minor coin	285.59	25,344.19
Other Cash Resources:		
Exchanges for clearing house	298.14	
Checks and other cash items	68.56	366.70
Total resources		$410,769.33

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..		$100,000.00
Undivided profits:		
Less current interest, expenses and taxes paid		4,734.30
Deposits:		
Time certificates	7,727.70	
Savings, subject to notice	92,562.58	
Demand, subject to check	186,365.24	
Certified Checks	1.00	286,656.52
Due to Banks:		
State	17,879.17	
National	172.03	18,051.20
Miscellaneous Liabilities:		
Postal savings funds	1,327.31	1,327.31
Total liabilities		$410,769.33

I, Frank J. Heinl, Cashier of The Farmers State Bank & Trust Company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Frank J. Heinl, Cashier.

State of Illinois } ss
County of Morgan }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November, 1916.

(Seal.) Ruth Waggoner, Notary Public.

Correct attest:
A. L. FRENCH
A. C. RICE
CHAS. F. LEACH
DIRECTORS.

BANK YEGGS MAKE GOOD THEIR ESCAPE

Bandits Overlook $700 in Currency in Their Haste to Make Getaway—Exchange hundreds of Shots With Citizens.

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 23—Yeggs who blew the private bank at Roberts, Ill., early Wednesday morning have made good their escape. In their haste they overlooked seven one hundred dollar bills which were in a strong box in the safe and some silver.

Hundreds of persons visited the scene of the robbery and have viewed with awe the scent of the fusillade in which hundreds of shots were exchanged between the citizens and the five bandits. The big plate glass windows of the bank are speckled with bullet holes while the smaller windows at the top of the building have all been broken out.

One bandit picket who had ambushed himself in the water towar which commanded the street leading to the bank, was armed with a repeating shotgun and kept the citizen army back. At one time he yelled to his pals inside the bank to "hurry up and get that stuff, it is getting hot out here. Put in a good one this time." About that time a shot popped through the window of the bank and the men on the inside yelled to the outside pickets "get that sucker; they are getting too close." The outside man replied "I can't locate him." It was about this time that Samuel Newman who had been emptying an automatic into the bondits got shot in the right arm and had to seek shelter.

The damage including the money stolen to the bank, will amount to about $5,000.

Search for Express Robbers

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 23.—Police throughout the south were searching today for two men alleged to have stolen forty thousand dollars in currency from a Southern Express Company motor truck here last night.

Although the robbery occurred in the center of the business district, detectives so far have found no clue. The money was being shipped by Chattanooga banks to various southern cities. The driver of the truck says two well dressed men climbed aboard his machine in the railroad yards and held him up at the point of revolvers. Sixty thousand dollars was left untouched.

Fred Corneilson, driver of the truck, was detained at police headquarters during the night by detectives who said they wished to question him further.

EDNA MAY RETURNS TO THEATER LIFE FOR CHARITY

Edna May sprang into popular favor several years ago as Violet Gray in "The Belle of New York," at the Casino theater, and was famed for her beauty. She appeared in several productions in London and at the height of her career married a New York banker. Since then she has devoted her time to social and charity work. It was with th understanding that the $100,000 she is to receive for her work in Salvation Joan will be turned over to the Red Cross for the stricken soldiers and to provide an ambulance and corps for the boys of Uncle Sam now engaged in the Villa hunt in Mexico. Edna May returns to the limelight. This famous actress will be seen at Scott's today.

MEMBER OF DIET SQUAD GETS TWO PROPOSALS

Girl Who Expresses Willingness to Live on Forty Cents a Day Receives Offers of Marriage.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The single blessedness of some of the women members of the diet squad of the Chicago health department may be menaced because of their experiment. This was indicated today when the fact that Miss Gertrude Nelligan, who gained a pound yesterday and expressed a willingness to live on forty cents a day for some time to come, had received two proposals of marriage, was revealed. Miss Nelligan, however, denied that she had accepted either.

Twelve dieters began the second day of the two weeks' race against the high cost of living with a breakfast of apples, rolled oats, hot biscuits and coffee.

WASHINGTON CHOSEN NEXT MEETING PLACE BY W. C. T. U.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 23.—Washington was chosen as the meeting place for the National Women's Christian Temperance Union's convention in 1917 by the executive board of the union in session here today.

DEPARTMENT ADOPTS POLICY OF SILENCE

Course Considered Necessary in Regard to German Submarine Attacks.

Washington, Nav. 23.—Increasing frequency of attacks by German submarines upon American vessels or others bearing American citizens with the consequent necessity of repeated inquiry at Berlin for facts has led to the adoption of a policy of silence on the part of the state department.

Officials let it be known today that such a course was considered necessary because most of the cases investigated developed no violation of international law and premature discussion was likely to stir up useless excitement in the United States. With no less than ten inquiries pending before the German foreign office Secretary Lansing declines even to talk about cabled reports from Berlin. He said today the facts are being sent to President Wilson as fast as they come in and the closest watch is being kept on all developments. In none of the cases however, is the information complete enough for definite action.

Mr. Lansing read statements on both sides, but has not as yet had time to check the opposing versions against each other.

WORK OF UTILITIES COMMISSION GROWS

During Past Year 456 Orders Affecting Common Carriers Alone Were Entered.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—Reports show the work of the Illinois Public Utilities commission is rapidly increasing. From September 1, 1915 to September 1, 1916 the commission entered 456 orders affecting common carriers alone. The orders in reference to subjects handled, were:

Fraight rate, 246; passenger, 8; baggage, 2; grade crossings, 38; headlight, 1; spur tracks, 30; reparation, 41; train service, 10; station facilities, 17; safety devices, 19; stock and bonds, 37; equipment trust, 5.

During the same period 101 orders authorizing issuance of other than railroad stocks and bonds were entered.

POSSE IN PURSUIT OF THREE ROBBERS

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The police and an armed posse of twenty citizens of Maywood, a residence suburb have surounded three armed robbers who tonight shot and severely wounded Mrs. Rose Harshberg and policeman Charles Ritt and then sought refuge in the woods along the Desplanes river. The posse is closing in on the robbers.

Mrs. Harshberg was shot when she turned and fled toward the rear of her husband's butcher shop when the robbers entered and ordered her to hold up her hands. After robbing the till they left ond when the policeman ordered them to halt, shot him and fled to the woods.

FILE SUIT FOR INJUNCTION

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 23.—The Minneapolis and Sa. Louis railroad company filed suit in the United States district court here today for an injunction restraining anyone from making the railroad company defendant in any action brought under the Adamson eight hour law.

SILK MANUFACTURERS ADOPT RESOLUTION

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 23.—A resolution asking the ways and means committee of the house of representatives to adopt a five per cent specific duty to the present thirty per cent ad valorem duty on imported dyestuffs was adopted today by the silk manufacturers of America at the close of their annual convention.

PROCLAMATION ISSUED

London, Nov. 23—A royal proclamation issued here today deciares that henceforth gold, silver and paper money, securities, checks, drafts, letters of credit and any negotiable instruments or documents relating to the transfer of money credit or securities will be treated as contraband.

ASSUMES OFFICE OF MINISTER OF MILITIA

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 23.—Albert Edward Kemp, member of parliament for East Toronto, who has been minister without port folio in the Borden cabinet since its formation in 1911 today assumed the office of minister of militia and defense succeeding Lieutenant General Sir Sam Hughes.

URGE SHEEP RAISING.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 23.—The raising of more sheep to offset the wool shortage in the United States caused by decreased production and lessening of importations because of the war, was urged at the opening session here today of the National Sheep conference.

NO WOUNDED ON BOARD.

London, Nov. 23.—Press despatches from Athens saying there were no wounded on board the hospital ship Brittanic when it was sunk off the Greek coast were confirmed today by the admiralty, which made the following announcement:

"No wounded were aboard the Brittanic when there were only the ship's crew and the hospital staff."

DEMOCRATS TO CAUCUS.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Democratic members elect to the house of the Fiftieth General Assembly will hold a caucus here tomorrow afternoon to select a minority leader. Cook county has three candidates for the place. They are: John G. S. Burns, George R. Bruce and Michael I. Igoe.

ARMENIAN MASSACRE.

London, Nov. 23.—A newspaper at Daku, in Transcausia, says Reuters Petrograd correspondent in a despatch today, says that the Turks have massacred 5,000 to 6,000 Armenians at Syvas, Turkish Armenia.

REACH NO SOLUTION OF CAR SHORTAGE PROBLEM

Hearing Before State Utilities Commission Adjourns at Springfield

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—The car shortage hearing before the Illinois Public Utilities commission was adjourned today without any solution of the problem having been reached. The commission set December 11th, as the rate for a conference in Chicago on the question of increased demurrage rates which a number of railroads have published and which have been suspended by the commission pending an investigation.

Coal shippers of whom one hundred were from Chicago asked the commission to cite the railroad companies to appear and explain the car shortage affecting their business. Commissioner Shaw asked the shippers to file their citations with the commission. On a basis of these citations it will be determined whether the roads will be asked to come in an answer specific question with reference to the coal hauling business.

Charges Unfair Discrimination

Charges that Illinois railroads had been guilty of unfair discrimination against members of his organization, were made before the commission by J. C. Sailor of Cissna Park, Ill., representing the Farmers Grain Dealers' association of Illinois.

Mr. Sailor declared grain shippers at competing points were greatly favored in the distribution of cars, while others were almost ignored. He said his organization, representing many grain elevators, was in favor of trying out the commission's ruling making the volume of business during the last four years the basis for a pro rata distribution.

ARRIVAL OF ANNUAL TURKEY FLOCK BEGINS

All Birds "Specially Raised for the President" — Wilson to Spend Thanksgiving Day at White House

Washington, Nov. 23.—President Wilson plans to spend Thanksgiving Day at the White House with members of his family. The annual flock rive. One will be selected for the president," has already begun to arhive. One will be selected for the white house table and the others according to custom probably will be sent to hospitals or for distribution among the poor.

WOULD SAVE BALLOT PAPER.

Quincy, Ill., Nov. 23.—Senator Charles McNay will introduce a bill in the Illinois legislature at the next session to amend the election law, the amendment to provide that election ballots and reserve ballots not be burned but be made into paper pulp and sold, it was learned here today. Mr. McNay believes this will save the state a considerable sum.

ROBBERS IGNORE CASH; CARRY OFF MEAT

PEORIA, Nov. 23.—Robbers entering a meat market here early this morning ignored the cash drawer and safe, but carried off $60 worth of choice hams, loins, ribs and a side of mutton.

WILL OFFER COURSE.

Newton, Mass., Nov. 23.—The Braeburn Country Club will offer the use of its course for the next national open golf championship it was stated today. This decision was reached after the professional golfers' association had endorsed the course as suitable for the tournament.

REQUEST RECESS

Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 23—A recess of two weeks has been requested by the Mexican members of the Mexican-American joint commission to give them an opportunity to lay before General Carranza the proposals formulated by the Americans for border control.

PRINCETON WINS

Philadelphia, Nov. 23—The Princeton soccer team defeated Haverford College, the inter-collegiate championship today four goals to nothing.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 23—Two men were killed and more than a score of persons injured, many of them dangerously, tonight when the St. Louis & San Francisco passenger train No. 23, southbound, crashed head on with a Rock Island freight train in the suburbs east of Kansas City.

FAVOR RESIGNATION

Sheboygan, Wis., Nov. 23—The congregation of the First Baptist church voted 36 to 30 tonight to demand the resignation of the Rev. Claude O. Booth, charged with being unorthodox in his views.

FEDERAL JURY ADJOURNED.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 23.—The federal grand jury for the District of Indiana which has been investigating alleged election frauds for more than a week adjourned today until Tuesday, Dec. 15th, when the investigation will be resumed.

DUTCH STEAMER SUNK.

London Nov. 23.—The Dutch steamer Helina from Rotterdam for New York in ballast, has been sunk by mines in the North Sea, according to a despatch from Hull today to the Central News.

No Dutch steamer Helina is listed in available shipping records.

GEORGETOWN EASY WINNER.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 23.—Georgetown had an easy victory over Transylvania here today defeating the latter 12 to 0 in a football game replete with spectacular plays.

SIR GEORGE WHITE DIES.

London, Nov. 23.—Sir George White died last night.

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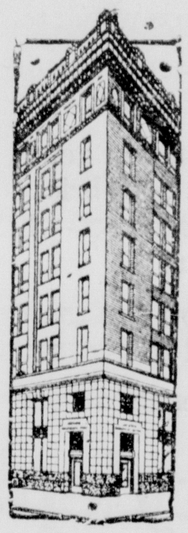
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SHOULD PLACE BURDEN OF PROOF ON RAILROADS

President Gompers Asserts Judge Hook Should Have Found Eight-hour Law Constituted if He Wanted to Test It.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 23—"If it was Judge Hook's intention to test the constitutionality of the eight hour law, why didn't he declare it constitutional and place the burden of proof upon the railroad managers, who wanted to evade and avoid it, instead of compelling the government to affirm the constitutionality of the law?"

Thus did President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of labor in addressing the convention late today lead up to a declaration that brought the delegates to their feet with shouts of approval that lasted five minutes.

"We are going to act on the defensive," said Mr. Gompers, "but if a fight is to be made to take from the men, women and children of our time the advantages they have obtained, then labor's opponents had better look out. We will resist to the uttermost."

PASSED EXAMINATION.

Miss Dorothy L. Westover, 803 West College avenue, has passed the state civil service examination for department stenographer, according to word from the examining board at Springfield.

Fred A. Ford of Waverly was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.



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MRS. R. W. MEGGINSON DIED THURSDAY NIGHT

Blood Poisoning Resulted From Abscess Caused Death of Woodson Resident—Left Large Family—The Mortuary Record.

Mrs. R. W. Megginson died at her home three miles northeast of Woodson Thursday night at 9:50 o'clock. Some days ago Mrs. Megginson had an abscess appear at the root of a tooth and it resulted in blood poisoning which caused death.

Deceased was the daughter of Thomas and Rebecca Lashmet and was born in Ashland, Cass county, May 10, 1859. She was united in marriage June 22, 1880 to R. W. Megginson. They moved to a farm in the vicinity of Wodson and that locality has since been her home. She is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. Carl Hembrough, Mrs. Ada Winters of this county, Mrs. Alfred Hembrough, of Bronson, Kans., Mrs. Charles Bellman of Sinclair, Mrs. George Hembrough of this county, Joseph George and William Megginson all of this county and Ralph of Iowa. She is also survived by the following brothers and sisters, Jonas Lashmet of this city, Edward Lashmet of Manchester, John and George Lashmet and Mrs. George Jones of Winchester, Mrs. Charles Wyatt of Humboldt, Kans., and Charles Lashmet of Franklin.

Two of the children, Emma and Ernest, died while young. Two brothers preceded Mrs. Megginson in death, Nicholas and Douglas Lashmet.

Mrs. Megginson was a member of the Christian church at Woodson and took an active interest in the work of that body. She was a woman who loved her home and was one highly regarded in the community in which she had spent so many years.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Reeve

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Reeve died at Passavant hospital Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Burial was made in Diamond Grove cemetery at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Peters

Aaron Peters, a former Morgan County resident, died Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. T Hall of Loami, aged 76 years. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the residence, with the Rev. J. W. Campbell, pastor of Waverly Baptist church, in charge. The interment was made at Ashland.

The deceased was born and reared in this county, going to Loami to make his home about a year ago. Four sons survive, Charles Peters, John and Harry Peters, Waverly and Allen Peters, Auburn. Mr. Peters leaves two daughters, Mrs. Jacob Paul of Divernon and Mrs. Hall of Loami.

Harris.

Benjamin F. Harris died at his home 452 Ebey street Thursday morning at 3:10 o'clock after an illness of several months. Deceased had been in poor health for a number of years. He was the son of Vincent and Mollie Harris and was born in Missouri, September 15, 1866. He had been a resident of Jacksonville for the past thirty years. Besides his mother he is survived by two brothers, Henry Harris of Keokuk, Iowa, and Albert Harris of Jacksonville, and one sister, Mrs. Clara Watts of St. Louis. Funeral services will be held from the home of his aunt, Mrs. Eliza Boyd 431 South Clay avenue, the time to be announced later.

Cooper

A telegram received Thursday by Homer H. Potter announced the death of Charles A. Cooper at his home in Nilwood, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Cooper and family lived in Jacksonville for a number of years. At that time he was associated with Charles Gilman in the coal business under the firm of Cooper & Gilman, the office being on East College avenue. Mr. Cooper had been confined to his bed for nearly three years past and his death was not unexpected. He is survived by his wife and three children, Mrs. Mabel Teague of Silex, Mo., Frank and Wade living at home.

The funeral will be held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Hinman

Harold Hinman, son of Charles and Mettie Stewart Hinman of Newman's Grove, Neb., died recently at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln of typhoid fever. He was about 21 years of age. His mother was a daughter of the late Dr. H. C. Stewart, at one time mayor of Jacksonville. He is survived by his parents and four brothers, Arthur, Donald, Kenneth and Albert Hinman and one sister, Lucy Hinman.

Bridges.

Mrs. Nancy A. Bridges died at her home in Waverly Wednesday, aged 39 years, 9 months and 16 days. She had been ill for several months. Deceased was the daughter of John and Permelia Holmes and was born in Waverly Feb. 7, 1877. She was united in marriage to John Bridges who survives her together with the following children, Mrs. August Brown, Mrs. Bertha Bell, Mrs. Earl Crill, Ishmael, Burley and Harold Bridges.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon from First Waverly M. E. church in charge of the Rev. F. G. Smith. Burial was in the East cemetery at Waverly.

RETAIL MEAT PRICES GO DOWNWARD

It looks like the top had been reached and reaction set in, judging from the special beef prices W. F. Widmayer is advertising today. Loin and round steak at 20c a pound, chuck steak at 15c a lb., and pot roast at 14c sound well within the reach of the family of average means. The advertisement says that at such prices meat becomes the cheapest article of diet, compared with the prices asked for other foodstuffs. There is no denying that the country over consumers have been holding down their purchases, but renewed activity is promised as a result of the cut in prices.

WOMEN OF WINCHESTER WILL GIVE BENEFIT

Town Clock Benefit to be Staged at the Lyric Theater—Baptist Church Social and Other News Notes.

Winchester, Ill., Nov. 23.—The Music Department of the Woman's club has worked hard in preparation for the concert of old time songs to be given Friday night at the Lyric theater and are hoping that the size of the audience will bring a substantial addition to the town clock fund. The club will be assisted by Mr. S. G. Smith, baritone. The program will begin at 8 o'clock and will be as follows:

Music Selection—Miss Henderson.
Song, "When Mother Was 21,"—Mrs. David Hainsfurther.
Plantation songs by Chorus.
a. "Old Folks at Home."
b. "Old Black Joe."
c. "My Old Kentucky Home."
Scotch Songs.
a. "Anna Laurie"—Miss Lecie Evans.
b. "Bonnie Doon," "Loch Lomond"—Miss Frost.
c. "The Campbells are Coming"—Chorus.
Ballads.
a. "Love's Old Sweet Song"—Miss Higgins, Mrs. Kinison.
b. "In the Gloaming"—Mrs. Harry Martin.
c. "Silver Threads Among the Gold"—Miss Henderson, Mrs. Gibbs.
Irish Songs.
a. "My Lone's An Arbutus," "Kathleen Mauvoreen"—Mrs. Demerath.
English Songs.
a. "Sally in Our Alley"—Chorus.
b. "Only a Little Flower"—Miss Francis Coultas.
c. "Ben Bolt," "Drink to Me With Thine Eyes"—Mr. S. G. Smith.
"Lochinvar"—Chorus.

Baptist Church Ladies.

Women of the Baptist church gave a "hen social" Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sarah Thomas. Each guest was requested to bring to the social a hen or its equivalent in value and the sum cleared was a considerable one.

John Dahman and son, Russell, returned Wednesday night from a trip to St. Louis, where they went to accompany a shipment of stock.

Miss Anna McLaughlin returned Thursday from a visit in Roodhouse and White Hall.

Misses Georgia nd Louise Hamilton have returned from a visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. James Hammond and little daughter expected to leave Friday morning for their home in Staten Island, New York. They were accompanied as far as St. Louis by Mrs. Henderson and Miss Shirley Henderson.

Supt. C. W. Smith has purchased the residence property of Dr. H. H. Fletcher and expects to remove there as soon as Dr. Fletcher's new home is sufficiently completed to allow the physician and his family to move.

FLOODED ROOMS AT WASHINGTON SCHOOL

Yesterday morning when Ellis Moore, janitor at the Washington school building, went to attend to his usual duties he was reminded of stories of the great flood. Some miscreant had entered the building during the night and turned on the water which passes thru the boilers and to the radiafors. As a result there was "water, water everywhere." It was not possible to have the school sessions and the children and teachers went to their homes. Because of the excess of water and the damp condition of the rooms it is likely that no sessions will be held today, but undoubtedly everything will be in condition by Monday. This is not the first time the same thing has happened at the fourth ward building and an effort will be made to detect the guilty person.

CITIES TO INVESTIGATE PRICES.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—With the belief that Springfield and Peoria grocers with several other cities in Illinois are in a combine to make the high cost of living still more elevated, Mayor C. W. Baumann of this city started an investigation this morning and with the aid of Mayor Woodruff of Peoria expects to reveal some interesting facts. Mayor Baumann secured prices at every grocery store here today and sent them to Peoria. If the Peoria prices show any glaring differences, further investigation in smaller Illinois towns will be carried out and may result in many arrests. The next points where the municipal investigation will be carried out, according to officials throughout the state will be at Danville, Jacksonville, Rockford, Quincy and Bloomington.

FAVORITE LODGE, K. OF P. NOMINATES OFFICERS

Officers were placed in nomination and work in the second degree was given Thursday evening at the regular meeting of Favorite Lodge No. 376, Knights of Pythias. The rank of Esquire was conferred upon Dr. Paul J. Ewerhardt. The meeting of the lodge was followed by an oyster supper.

Following are the officers nominated:

C. C.—A. R. Myrick.
V. C.—Walter E. Hall.
Prelate—Carl E. Robinson.
K. of R. S.—Charles Gollrey and Oran H. Cook.
M. of F.—Jewill E. Scott.
M. of E.—L. E. Turner.
M. at A.—Clarence Wilkinson.
I. G.—Louis Ahlquist.
O. G.—O. H. Buhrman and Charles Paggett.
Trustee—C. J. Rataichak.

SID ADWELL SENT TO JAIL

Sid Adwell was before Justice Dyer yesterday charged with stealing a dog and a number of chickens. The warrant for the theft of the dog was sworn out by W. A. Hubbell and for the theft of the chickens by N. H. Turner. Justice Dyer fixed the bond at $200 and set the hearing for November 27. Adwell was ent to jail in default of bond.

PLANNING EXCHANGE FOR CHILDREN'S FILMS

Chicago Motion Picture Men and Club Women are Co-operating to Make Children's Programs Practicable—Censorship in Cities and in Different States

The attempt of Springfield club women to impose a censorship on motion picture films shows there has called to mind the activities of club women in Chicago and other cities where the purpose has been rather to co-operate with exhibitors in the securing of clean and high grade pictures rather than the creating of any system of censorship. Arbitrary censorship has often failed in its purpose as it is seldom possible for any one body of men to know local conditions in different cities well enough to prescribe the kind of picture that might with propriety be shown.

When Chicago exhibitors were approached on the subject of putting on programs entirely suitable for perusal of children the women were told that two conditions made this impracticable: the fact that such films are hard to obtain and are widely scattered and the fact that children's programs are not well supported by the public when presented. It is with these difficulties in mind that a joint committee has been working on the project of an exchange for children's films, secured from all the manufacturers and available at any time for either the city or small town exhibitor.

Illinois has no board of censors nor has the nation at large tho more than one attempt has been made to establish such bodies for the state and for the whole country. The "National Board of Censors" which formerly passed judgment on a large precentage of the films produced was purely a voluntary body, which has practically ceased operations. Ohio has a rigid censorship on motion pictures and two or three other states have followed her example. A municipal censorship exists in two Illinois cities, Rock Island and Chicago, where the board has become in large measure a political body.

The educational film is yet far from popular. The average audience demands action and "snap." Exhibitors, however conscientious, can use films of educational and scenic nature but sparingly. In other words the film companies are engaged in the practice of "giving the public what it wants," but at the same time are making continual effort to keep in touch with popular demands and are quick to respond to the demands of the greatest censor—the people at large.

COAT SALE OF QUALITY AT HERMAN'S.

CHICAGO DETECTIVE TO SEE NEBRASKA PRISONER

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—A Chicago detective left tonight for Spalding, Neb., to investigate the identity of the man whom Marshall Byrns of Spalding believes to be Jean Crones, the Chicago anarchist, who is said to have poisoned 200 prominent guests of the University Club at a banquet given Archbishop Mundelein last winter.

TRANSCONTINENTAL TRAVELERS

Two brave young men arrived in the city esterday from Columbus, Ohio, enroute to Montana. They were traveling in a Ford car and were well loaded with baggage and camping outfit. They said they came yesterday from Springfield and surely their car looked like it. They were off for an extended hunt and a good time generally.

The South Side Circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Julian Hall, 134 S. Diamond street.

ANNUAL MESSAGE NOW IN HANDS OF PRINTER

President's Message to Congress is One of Shortest Documents of its Kind on Record.

Washington, Nov. 25—President Wilson's annual message to congress now in the hands of the printer, contains about 2,000 words and is among the shortest documents of its kind on record. It points out that the reports of the several government departments will be made before congress separately and that therefore their details are not discussed.

The president emphasizes the uncompleted legislation on railroads suggested by him at the last session to meet the threatened railroad strike as the most pressing problem facing congress. He then goes on to a general discussion of other domestic problems.

Attend the special display of fine furs at Frank Byrns Hat Store, Saturday, November 25. The annual exhibit by Edward F. Ryan from Detroit.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The remains of Clarence Reick arrived in the city Thursday afternoon and were taken to the home of Harry Summers at Diamond Grove. Funeral services will be held from the Summers residence this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius and burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

CIGARET IGNITES BEDDIN

A guest sleeping on the third floor of a Jacksonville hotel had occasion to take a smoke Thursday morning shortly before the hour of three. Not fully awake perhaps he ignited the bedding, but threw the blazing sheet out of the window in time to prevent serious consequence.

We Invite You to Attend the Bread Baking Contest

Tuesday, November 28, 1916

If you are expecting to get any French, German or English China for Christmas we would advise you making your selection right now for no doubt there will be quite a shortage later on.



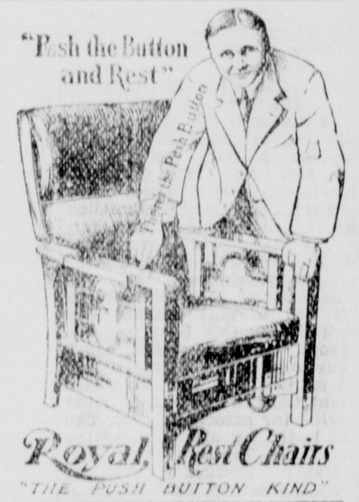
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Royal Push Button Chairs

With or without foot rests, leather or imitation upholsterings and at a price to suit your pocket book.



Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

East Side Square

Flour Given Away!

Ten Prizes for Best Bread baked from Valier's Enterprise Flour

BREAD MAKING CONTEST

Held at Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie Co.

Thursday, November 28, 1916

TEN PRIZES

For the best loaf—1 bbl. Enterprise Flour.
For the 2nd best loaf—½ bbl. Enterprise Flour.
For the 3rd best foaf—¼ bbl. Enterprise Flour.
Competent judges will decide the winning loaves.

RULES FOR CONTEST

Buy a sack of Valier's Enterprise Flour of your grocer.
Bake bread your usual way at home and send one loaf to Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie Co.'s store, Tuesday, Nov. 28th. Bread received from 2:00 until 6:00 p. m. on that night.
Be on hand the next day at 2:30 p. m. after you send your bread and see the bread judged.
Bread must be baked out of Valier's Enterprise Flour.
All women who bake bread may enter this contest.
Buy a sack from your grocer today and be ready for the contest.

J. H. CAIN & SON, Wholesale Distributors

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Our men's shoes are selected because of their particular worth; they represent real shoe values, insuring you the utmost shoe satisfaction for the amount of cash invested.

You will find our men's shoes to your liking; quality, style and prices are right. A large and varied showing of dressy shoes suitable for young fellows. More conservative lasts for the men who do not relish extreme style. Shoes that will please men in all prevailing styles and a grade to suit all.

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WAGE SUIT HEARD IN CIRCUIT COURT

J. H. Turner Secured Verdict of $4 and Costs Against Jacob De Ornellas—Court Docket Entries

All day Thursday the trial of the case of John H. Turner vs. Jacob DeOrnellas was heard in the circuit court. It was late in the afternoon when the evidence and argument were completed and the jury retired. A verdict was returned in favor of the complainant fixing the amount due at $4 and costs. The case was taken on appeal from a justice court where Turner had sued DeOrnellas claiming $5 balance due him on wages. The plaintiff was represented by W. W. Wright and the defendant by C. E. Robinson.

It is understood that the costs in the case had already reached the $45 mark before this trial was entered upon. In the circuit court trial something more than $5 was involved as the awarding of a less sum meant that the defendant must also provide for attorney's fees. The case was heard by eleven jurors as follows: L. B. Trotter, Robert Edwards, Henry Hoffmeier, Charles Spiker, John Kastrup, Carl Beddingfield, L. H. Barber, J. P. Moxon, John Valley, O. B. Rees and Joseph Walters.

A number of entries were made as follows:

R. T. Cassell vs. Mary E. Worfolk, et al. Trespass. Motion to set aside order of defendant denied.

Gates Strawn, administrator, vs. John R. Robertson. Trespass on case. Leave to defendant to file amended second plea.

Kittie S. Brown vs. Marvin Thompson. Debt. Debt and damages fixed in the sum of $1,200.

REMARKABLE CUT PRICES ON SUITS, QUALITIES AND STYLES THE BEST, AT HERMAN'S.

PARK BOARD MEETING

The park board held its regular meeting Thursday evening and transacted considerable business. Arrangements were made to put everything in shape for the winter. It was also decided to put a new floor on the bridge as soon as weather permits. The board will also set out a number of forest trees this fall. The board has had some difficulty in getting the leaves raked in Duncan park. No less than three men have started the work but all have secured more permanent jobs and quit work. There is about a day's work yet to be done and it is hoped to have the park clean before winter sets in.

Double heeled rubbers at Hopper's.

PROBATE COURT

In the estate of Elizabeth Eyre the inventory was approved.

In the estate of Byron S. Galley the widow's relinquishment and selection were approved.

Wholesale Prices

Soda Crackers, 5 pounds, 50c.

E. C. Corn Flakes, 3 pkt. 25c; 6 pkt. 48c.

Bulk Mince Meat, 1 pound 15c; 2 pounds, 25c.

Condensed Mince Meat, 3 pkt. 25c; 12 pkt. 95c.

Flobell Brand Salmon, 20c grade, 3 cans, 44c; 6 cans, 84c.

Five pound pail pure Lard, $1.00.

Sugar Cured Hams (extra fine) 12 lb. avg 21c lb.

Bacon, 8 to 10 lb. avg., 22c lb.

Wax Beans (Reindeer brand) 3 cans 29c; 6 cans 58c.

Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple, 3 cans 57c; 12 cans $2.25

S. Yello Cling Peaches, 2 cans 45c; 12 cans $2.70.

Pork and Beans, No. 3 can, 3 cans 36c; 6 cans 72c.

Pumpkin, No. 3 can, 3 cans 35c; 6 cans 65c.

English Walnuts (new crop) 2 lbs. 45c; 5 lbs. $1.00.

Bulk Olives, Prunes, Dried Peaches, Fresh Oysters, Grimes Golden Apples, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel.

These Prices for Cash Only

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FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN KANSAS CITY

Mrs. Eliza Johnston Passes Away Following Long Illness—Husband Was Pioneer M. P. Minister—Funeral at Liberty Church Today.

Mrs. Eliza Johnston, mother of Mrs. J. Marshall Miller, passed away Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stephens in Kansas City, Kans. Mrs. Johnston had been ill for an extended period and her condition had been critical for a number of days. Mrs. Johnston was well known to many of the earlier residents of Jacksonville as the wife of Rev. Joseph Pancost Johnston of the Methodist Protestant church.

Mrs. Johnston, whose maiden name was Eliza J. West, was born January 27, 1831, in Virginia and was the daughter of pioneer residents of the county, Col. and Mrs. A. S. West, who came to that locality from Kentucky. They were pioneers in Illinois, just as their forefathers had been in Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. West were members of the first Methodist Protestant church organized in all the territory west of Cincinnati. When Mrs. Johnston was young a school for young people was taught by Prof. John Loomis and she was a student there. Then she was enrolled at the Farmington academy and still later was a student at the Illinois Woman's college. October 28, 1858, she was united in marriage to Rev. Joseph P. Johnston and five children were born to them, three of the number dying in infancy. Two daughters survive, Mrs. Herbert P. Stephens of Kansas City, Kans., and Mrs. J. Marshall Miller of this city. There are also ten grandchildren, Mrs. Ruth Miller Parks of Traverse City, Mich; Marian, Margaret, Irene and William Miller of this city; Winifred, Dorothy, Lois, Brooks and Herbert Stephens of Kansas City, Kans.

During the first year of their wedded life Dr. Johnston was the traveling president of the Illinois conference of the M. P. Church and that year he and his bride traveled more than 3,000 miles in a horse drawn carriage over the rough and often muddy roads of Illinois. Then they were located at Concord, where Dr. Johnston served a circuit of eight churches. It was following twenty three active years that Dr. Johnston was finally compelled to leave the ministry because of a throat affection and the family moved to Lynnville where Dr. Johnston practiced medicine for nearly ten years. Then the family home was changed to Jacksonville, and his death occurred here in 1887. The family home at that time was on South Clay avenue. Since the death of her husband Mrs. Johnston has made her home with her daughters, spending part of the time in Jacksonville and the remainder in Kansas City.

When a child of fourteen years Mrs. Johnston joined the Methodist church at Bath and she was faithful to the teachings of the church during all the years succeeding. In the work of his pastorate Dr. Johnston had in his wife an earnest helper. Mrs. Johnston for years was a Sunday school teacher and she was actively identified with the work of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. P. church. She was treasurer of that organization until 1891, when advancing years made it necessary for her to give up active work. In all the caried charges which Dr. Johnston served in his ministry Mrs. Johnston entered into the work of the church organization and so it fell to her lot to come into close touch with the young people in many communities. In these activities she was especially devoted to the Sunday school and it is related that just a few days before her death she said to her daughter, "One of the most comforting things I have ever had said to me was when my Sunday school scholars, grown to maturity, have said that I had helped in their Christian lives." Mrs. Johnston excelled as a home maker and she was devoted to the welfare of her husband and children. Now her long life is closed and her earthly activities are at an end, but that influence will live on thru the years to come because of the many lives she touched in the church work and thru the lives of her children, who now bless and honor her name.

Services were held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Stephens in Kansas City and the remains will be brought to Jacksonville this morning and taken to the establishment of Williamson & Cody, as the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller is now under quarantine because of a case of scarlet fever. This afternoon the remains will be taken to Liberty M. P. church, four miles west of the city where the services will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Herbert, pastor of the Chapin and Liberty M. P. churches. Liberty was one of the churches that Dr Johnston served and his grave is in the cemetery there, where Mrs. Johnston will be buried today. Some years ago following the death of a friend Mrs. Johnston wrote the following lines, which the members of the family hear now with especial appropriateness:

Lay her away gently,
Yes, gently to rest,
With flowers she loved,
Entwined on her breast.

For long hath she traveled
O'er life's weary road,
But now she's at rest
In the home of her Lord.

Many dear ones she loved
Have gone on before,
And are waiting her there
On that beautiful shore.

Together they'll roam
The sweet fields of bliss,
And sigh not again
For a sad world like this.

So lay her away gently
With no sigh nor tear,
To mar the sweet peace
That rests o'er her bier.

In love, go labor and wait,
Till your earthly work's done
She'll be at the golden gate
To welcome us, when we come.

BROOKS GETS LIFE PRISON SENTENCE

Man Who Killed Mrs. Govan Entered Plea of Guilty—Two Others Sentenced—Bonds Fixed in Grand Jury Cases.

Ernest Brooks, who was indicted by the grand jury for the murder of Mrs. Frances Govan, appeared before Judge Creighton Thursday and entered a plea of guilty. The man was questioned by the judge and advised of all his rights and informed of the sentence likely to be given on such a plea. He insisted that he understood all these matters and it was the sentence of the court that he be imprisoned in the penitentiary at Chester for life. Brooks killed Mrs. Govan a few months ago, slashing her throat with a razor. No motive other than jealousy was ever discovered for the crime, which was as cold-blooded as any in the criminal records of the county.

A plea of guilty was also entered by Charles Mayhew, indicted for operating a confidence game. He was sentenced to Chester to remain until discharged in accordance with law.

Another indictment rendered by the grand jury was that against Henry Dryden, who was charged with bigamy. This man also entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to the reformatory at Fontiac. In his statement to the court Dryden said that he was guilty and that the only extenuating circumstance was that when he married the second time he believed that his first wife had secured a divorce from him. He said that she had shown him the papers indicating that a divorce would be secured and that he believed the action had been taken.

The case of John Starks, charged with assault with intent to kill, bail was fixed in the sum of $300. In the case of Judson Scott charged with burglary and larceny, bail was fixed at $1,000. Willie Gray's bail was fixed at $500. He was indicted at this term for grand larceny. Other bonds were fixed as follows:

Doc Berry, charged with assault to kill and murder, bail $500.

William Hale, same charge, bail $300.

John Deatherage, burglary and larceny, bail $1,000.

J. U. Day, charged with murder, bond fixed at $5,000.

George Murphy and Elmer Cannon, charged with burglary, bond $1,000.

McKinley Harrison, charged with murder, bond $1,000.

Wood Woolery and Carl Ross, charged with murder, bail $5,000.

In the illegal voters cases against Everett Whisler, W. H. Danks, Charles Witham, William Witham, A. A. Curry, Jr., and George Beckman, bond was fixed at $200.

Elmer Canno and Clara Cannon, charged with receiving stolen goods, bail $500.

Olin Sevier, charged with assault and battery, bail $200.

Edward Ratliff, selling liquor in anti-saloon territory, bail $500.

H. Worrall, wife abandonment, bail $500.

SPECIAL FUR DISPLAY.

Local people will have the opportunity Saturday, November 25, of seeing a line from one of Detroit's greatest furriers shown at this store by Edward F. Ryan. For 16 years Mr. Ryan has been making annual displays in Jacksonville always with unfavorable weather conditions, but a bright day is promised for Saturday. Women of Jacksonville and vicinity should avail themselves of this opportunity to see a great line of fur coats, scarfs and muffs.

FRANK BYRNS HAT STORE.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

Sunday marked the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Hanback of Glasgow, Ill., and relatives and friends numbering forty one gathered at their home to celebrate the occasion. The event was planned by their daughter, Mrs. Blanche Hazelrigg, of Glasgow, who with her daughter, Miss Annie Hazelrigg, prepared and served the dinner. A number of gifts were brought to Mr. and Mrs. Hanback by those in the company.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanback were married in Glasgow and have spent their entire married life there, so are well known in the community and count their friends by the score. They have three living children, Mrs. Burr Young of Exeter, California; Albert Hanback of Patterson and Mrs. Blanche Hazelrigg of Glasgow.

Duck and quail shooting is on. Take a day off and go get some. We have the shells and the guns, also hunting coats, vests, pants, hats and caps, game bags, in fact everything you need. Come in and look things over.

BRADY BROS.

JOE F. BRENNAN ILL OF INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM

Joe F. Brennan, the South Sandy street hardware merchant is confined to his room by an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. Brennan has been suffering from rheumatism for several months but until the past few days has been able to be about his place of business. His many friends hope he will soon be able to get out.

SPECIAL SALE OF KENYON'S CELEBRATED RAIN COATS AT HERMAN'S.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor of Lynnville, and Mrs. J. H. Gill of Jacksonville, spent Thursday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Roberts of Chapin.



—When you get the appearance any man would be proud to have.

—When you get the quality that is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

—When you can get fit and style, a wide range of fabrics to select from at a moderate cost—what more could you wish for?

—When you get the quality that is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

—Isn't it sense to wear

Styleplus Clothes $17

They are the nationally known clothes of medium price and we control the sale here. A great designer and a staff of assistants perfect each model to exactness. A great tailoring organization specializes on the making of this suit and overcoat.

The popularity of Styleplus has brought about a volume so great that the makers have been able to keep the price down to $17, just as in normal times.

Full dress Styleplus Suits, $17.

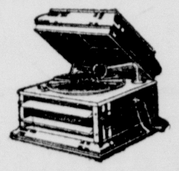
Come here now for your Suit or Overcoat.

Early Buyers Will Find Xmas Gifts On Display

MYERS BROTHERS.

New Pattern Mackinaws Just Received

To our patrons and all music lovers of the city



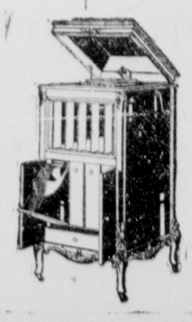
ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have just completed arrangements for the opening of our Columbia Grafonola Department Saturday, November 25th.

Here you will find Grafonolas in all finishes and styles to suit your home tastes—records of every kind imaginable from the one-step to the opera. And such records! Hear them played in that crystal clarity of tone that is found only in this combination, Columbia Grafonola-Columbia Records.

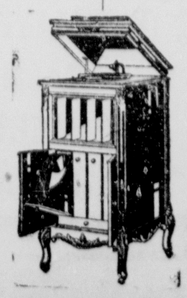
So when you and your friends call Saturday we will stage a complete entertainment such as Jacksonville never before enjoyed. Starting with the opening orchestra number of a brilliant waltz you are carried away to far off Hawaii to the plaintive tune of theukelele and Hawaiian guitar—you split your sides laughing at the comic sketches of such a host of artists as Bert Williams, Frank Tinney, Weber and Fields—you are thrilled, words fail you, to describe the astounding singing of the magic Lazaro, the tenor of the generation.

Buy why go further—come Saturday afternoon or evening and enjoy this treat. Nex tweek will not be too late to hear these wonderful records, but a special invitation is extended Saturday. Have your friends meet you at the "Grafonola Shop".



We'll expect you!

Andre & Andre



Note—A rose given to every lady visitor.

INDIA TEA

A necessity for Explorers

. . . in the pursuit of big game when the hardest sort of walking up to the high elevations or down to the lowly bogs is necessary . . . in all conditions of weather . . . under this crucial test tea will sustain a man's vigor and keep his spirits up . . . "—*Thomas Martindale.*

India Tea is prized alike by Milady and rough Explorer

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Special for this Week Only

9 x 12 Wool Fibre Rugs worth at any store $10.00 ..... **$7.45**

All Oak—45-inch round pedestal Dining table—a heavy well built table and worth $15.00 ..... **$11.75**

All quarter sawed oak Dresser, large 22 x 28 French mirror—full, swell front—best finish. A regular $20.00 piece at **$13.95**

As good a Davenport as you can find in Jacksonville for $35.00. We have them for this week only at **$29.75**

Full 45 pound Monarch Layer Felt Mattress as good as anything on the market now selling at $13.50 to $15. Priced this week only, at **$11.65**

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WORK AT BRUSH COLLEGE PROGRESSES

Pupils There are Interested in their Studies—Teacher This Year is Miss Viginia Entrikin.

Situated some two miles north of Murrayville is a school with the ambitious name of Brush College. There it is that a goodly number of young seekers after knowledge gather to hear the words of wisdom of their faithful teacher, Miss Virginia I. Entrikin. The building is well located in a commanding position on top of a gentle rise of ground and the playground is of good size and has two shade trees on it. The district comprises considerable territory and the teacher said she regretted the occasional absence of some pupils but it seemed to be unavoidable.

A few days since the writer had a very pleasant visit at the school and was treated with great politeness and much enjoyed the visit. In nearly every school visited there are some special points to commend and Brush College was not behind. The directors recently placed in the building an up to date heating plant, which will be a great addition as the pupils in the far corner will be just as warm as those who sit in the center. How many times has the writer, when a child, suffered with the cold in a corner of the room while those near the stove were sweating. The old time ordinary coal stove is getting more and more conspicuous by its absence as is the case at Brush College.

The room is supplied with some books, an unabridged dictionary, some maps and charts. Miss Entrikin is introducing the Palmer method of writing and has secured a number of books for the study of geography according to modern methods, in accordance with course laid down by the State Superintendent of Instruction and has also begun nature study.

It is the lady's intention to keep on improving as fast as possible in all respects and if only the parents will co-operate and see that the children attend regularly the work will be greatly improved. The pupils are bright and intelligent and only need a chance to make good marks in their studies.

Miss Entrikin expressed her pleasure in the visit of the writer and then asked him how he liked to hear children sing and he told her that nothing pleased him better. The pupils were then instructed to rise and show their caller what voices they had and the result was very gratifying indeed. Three songs were given with a will and the visitor was greatly entertained by them. Possibly they could have sung more but the lateness of the hour compelled the caller to hasten away. The directors of the school are Messrs. Edward T. Rea, Wm.McKean and Thomas Hawks.

The pupils are:

Boys: Clarence Adams, Edward Combes, O. Combes, Millard Hawks, Edward Hawks, Ralph Jacobs, Harry Horton, Spencer Myers, Clarence Myers, Samuel Pevey, Milton Riley, Roy Combes, Wilburn Lawson, Ralph Lawson,

Girls: Emily Jane Adams, Mary Hawks, Mabel Lorton, Alberta Myers, Alma Myers, Edith Myers, Ruth Myers, Ona Pevey, Cora Pevey, Alma Emily Riley, Isabel Riley, Floy Blimling, Flora Pevey.

The ducks and quail are fine, fat and saucy, just waiting for you. Why not take a day off and go after them? It will do you good and the folks at home will enjoy the feast. We have the shells, guns and hunting clothing, in fact everything. Come in and look things over.

BRADY BROS.

STATE BREVITIES.

(From Illinois Highways.)

The condition of the highway bridge over the Vandalia line near Atlanta, Logan county, has been pronounced unsafe.

County Superintendent Thomas of St. Clair county, has reported that the county has between 1,000 and 1,100 miles of county and state road.

The Rossville-Paxton Road Association was formed at a recent meeting in Rossville. George Merritt is president, and Glen Prillamen, secretary-treasurer.

The highway commissioners of Schuyler county have levied $44,960 for road purposes next year.

The Decatur Bridge company has been awarded the contract to build a new steel and concrete bridge over Salt Creek, in McLean county, at a cost of $11,600. The structure will be in Broadwell township.

A new $2,420 bridge, of concrete construction, is to be erected over the Whitechurch Slough on the Tennessee Prairie road, three miles east of Higgins, Ill. The structure will take the place of three old bridges which have spanned the place.

The McLean county board of supervisors visited Vermilion county in a body recently, to inspect the road system which is rapidly making the border county famous.

ANOTHER CORN HUSKING RECORD

Milton Lorton recently made an unusual record in husking corn for Thomas Quinn. During the hours from 7:15 until 3 o'clock he husked 85 bushels of corn. The corn in this case was down badly and averaged only 25 bushels per acre. An account was given in the Journal recently of a man who husked 125 bushels of corn in one day. This corn averaged something over 40 bushels per acre and was standing fairly well.

Mr. Lorton has taken part in a number of free for all husking matches and has a record which is excelled by few.

G. A. R. ATTENTION

Regular meting of Matt Star Post this evening at 7:30.

Jno. Minter, Com.,
C. E. McDougall, Adj.

LOCAL CIGAR FACTORY DOES BIG BUSINESS

McCarthy-Gebert Company Now Has Increased Working Space—Only One Factory in State Produces More Ten Cent Cigars

Six million cigars is an enormous lot, yet that is what the total output of the McCarthy-Gebert company will be when the present year closes. Of this number 3,000,000 will be El Maccos. Mr. McCarthy said Thursday when talking with a Journal reporter that it was the largest output of ten cent cigars of any factory in the state with the exception of one. The other 3,000,000 will be cigars of the various other brands manufactured by the company.

There have been extensive improvements under way at the McCarthy-Gebert factory for several months past. While all of the work is not completed much has been done.

More Floor Space

The firm now has the entire second floor of the Lindsay building abutting on East North street a distance of 180 feet. The new room for cigar makers occupies a space 80x60 feet. It is splendidly lighted and has working room for 150 cigarmakers.

On the first floor there is a floor space 80 by 60 feet. The entire basement is concreted and is used for storage purposes. Its dimensions are the same as the first and second floors. On the third floor is the drying room 40 by 60 feet. The room for packing clippings is also located on the third floor at present. It is the intention to move it to the second floor in the room facing on North Main street.

The stripping room has a floor space of 20 by 60 feet. There are about 35 strippers in the establishment and there also is a stripping machine in operation. The packing department occupies the three fronts on East North street on the first floor and one front on the second floor. On the first floor is also the label and advertising room where all of the labels and advertising matter is kept. This room is 14 feet by 35 feet in dimensions.

There are a number of improvements included in the work that has been completed and that which is still under way. There is a sweat room which is steam heated and where the stock is placed to bring out the colors and get it in the proper working condition.

Humidor Constructed

A humidor also has been built in which the goods after being packed are stored until sent to the market. There also is another large humidor where the unpacked cigars are stored. It is the endeavor to keep cigars for a week in this humidor before packing. In this humidor are boxes which will each hold approximately 3,000 cigars. All of them are numbered and corresponding numbers are on each workman's bench. It is thus possible to keep each workman's output separate and know just what kind of work is being done and how much is being done.

The entrance to the work rooms has heretofore been located on North Mauvaisterre street. When the work of remodelling is completed the entrance for employes will be from East North street.

A new coat room has been placed just to the west of the main workroom. This has an uptodate rack where each workman may hang his coat on an individual hanger and also a rack for the hats. Adjacent to this is the lavatory which will be modern in every respect. There also has been fitted a room for employes who take their lunch.

New Entrance

When the new entrance is completed the old entrance will be abandoned. The partition now separating the main office from the rear room will be removed as will the stairway, and the office enlarged. The shipping room which is adjacent to the main office will also be enlarged and made more convenient. When all of the improvements are completed the factory will be one of the largest and best equipped in the country.

At the present time the firm has employed 105 cigarmakers. There are 35 strippers, two foremen, three office clerks and five helpers and four salesmen. It is probable that with the added working space that the firm will soon have about 150 cigarmakers employed.

WILLIAM A. ALLCOTT TO TAKE NEW POSITION

William A. Allcott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee P. Allcott of this city has tendered his resignation to the board of Education of the Joliet schools and on Dec. 4, he will go to Chicago to take a position with the Chicago Board of Underwriters.

Mr. Allcott graduated from the local high school and for a year was assistant in the manual training department to Miss Anna G. Brown. He was offered a position in the public schools at Joliet three years ago and accepted it and his work there has been most successful. He has steadily advanced and the school board has shown its appreciation of his services by giving him an advance in salary each year.

When Mr. Allcott went to Joliet a plan was adopted which was known as the ungraded room plan. This room was for pupils who were backward in their work and delinquent in other ways. The plan was worked out by Mr. Allcott and it was largely thru his efforts that it proved such a success. That it did prove so was demonstrated when Superintendent Stoops heartily approved of the work of Mr. Allcott at the board meeting and the board decided to continue the plan and gave Mr. Stoops authority to engage his successor.

The position to which Mr. Allcott goes is one that will lead to much larger work. He will be employed in the inspection department and it is work that will be greatly to his liking and offers splendid opportunities for advancement.

Little Martha Jones of Woodson who was operated on recently at Passavant hospital is getting along in a satisfactory manner.



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JACKSONVILLE ELKS WILL HOLD MEMORIAL

Services to be Conducted at Grand Opera House, Sunday Afternoon, Dec. 3.

Hon. Oscar E. Carlstrom of Aledo will deliver the address at the annual memorial service of Jacksonville Lodge No. 682 B. P. O. E., to be held in the Grand Opera House Sunday afternoon, December 3, at 3 o'clock. Announcement to this effect was made Thursday. Since the memorial service a year ago five members of the order have died. They are J. K. Elder, Robert Tilton, W. B. Stribling, L. W. Chambers and Byron S. Gailey.

The program for the memorial service will be in the following order:

Opening ceremonies—by the lodge.
Opening ode—Audience.
Invocation—Rev. A. A. Todd.
Song, The Vacant Chair—Audience.
Opening ceremonies—Concluded.
Solo, Open the Gates of the Temple, Knapp—Miss Mabel Mathews, Mrs. Helen A. Bullard, Accompanist.
Address—Honorable Oscar E. Carlstrom, Aledo.
Solo, Selected—Mrs. William Barr Brown, Mrs. Helen A. Bullard, accompanist.
Eulogy, Our Departed Brothers—Bro. H. P. Samuell.
Closing Ceremonies—By the lodge.
Benediction.

"WATCH YOUR STEP" COMING SOON

"Watch Your Step," which will be the attraction offered at the Grand Friday, December 1st, is nothing if not modern. Its antire scope is syncopated, its dances are all of the one step variety, its scenes are fox trot palaces and cabarets. Perhaps the only thing not modern about this big musical show which packed the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York, for one year, is that it is clean. There is not a song, dance, or joke that calls for the censor to get busy.

The combined efforts of an unusual cast, the exquisitely designed costumes by Helen Dryden, the ragtime melodies of Irving Berlin make "Watch Your Step," a production, which, of its kind, has never before been equalled. The piece is alive with irresistable youth, fun, stunning gowns and beautiful artistic stage settings, which are marvels of color harmony. Everything is spick and span. And there is plenty of action in the piece, because R. H. Burnside, who staged the production knew what he was about and put it there. The chorus is an ideal Broadway one, composed of pretty young girls who can really sing and dance. The masculine department of the chorus do not strike you as the average chorus do if you have an aversion for chorus men.

Altogether "Watch Your Step," should prove the banner musical attraction of the year, for it seems impossible to beat it.

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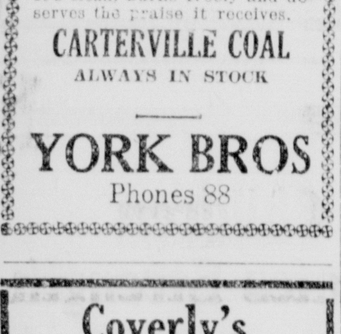
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ODD FELLOWS PASS $93,000 APPROPRIATION

For Maintenance and Improvement of Benevolent Institutions—Adjourn Grand Lodge Sessions.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 23.—After appropriating $93,000 for the maintenance and improvement of their benevolent institutions for the coming year, the Grand Lodge of Illinois Odd Fellows adjourned at noon today. Of the total appropriation $15,000 will be spent to erect two new school rooms at the Orphans' Home at Lincoln.

Rebekahs Elect Officers.

The Rebekah assembly of Illinois today elected Mrs. Lottie Sherer of Granite City as warden, the most important elective office in the assembly. She was opposed by Mrs. Effie Fucik and Mrs. Ida Sherman, both of Chicago. Mrs. Fucik withdrew this morning.

Other officers elected are: President: Mrs. Cora Phillips, Bushnell; Vice president, Mrs. Irene Cooper, Decatur; secretary, Mae E. Crowell, Rockford; treasurer, Ella Turner, Cambridge; chief examiner, Grace Henry, Sandwich. Mrs. Nellie L. Harris of Chicago was elected president of the Past Presidents' association.

Both the Rebekah assembly and the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. expect to adjourn late today after disposing of a mass of proposed legislation.

Grand Representatives.

W. P. Pease of Harvey and John J. Crowdrer of Peoria were elected grand representatives for the Grand Lodge.

VESSEL MASTERS ARE WARNED TO STAY IN PORT

DULUTH, Nov. 23—The weather department today hoisted hurricane signals for the first time in Duluth since the memorable lake storm of 1913 and vessel masters were warned to stay in port until the blow is over.

A CHILD GETS CROSS. SICK AND PEEVISH WHEN CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated Clean Little Liver and Bowels

If your little one's tongue is coated it is a sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross, peevish, listless, pale, does not sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs", which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.—Adv.

WILL CONSIDER NEW HIGH SCHOOL BILL

To Be Presented to State Teachers' Association for Approval Next Month.

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 23—A new high school bill which will be presented to the State Teachers' association for approval in December provides that the county treasurers shall hold all school funds instead of the county superintendent and township lines shall bet wholly ignored. This bill was completed today by the committee of educators consisting of President David Felmley of Normal University, H. S. McGill, superintendent Springfield schools, R. C. Moore, secretary State Teachers' association, J. C. Hanna, state high school inspector and R. C. Hollister, state high school visitor.

The bill will be presented to the legislature for passage in January and it is expected to cure the defects of the two acts recently declared unconstitutional, first because it places a limit on the territory that ambitious towns can vote to annex for high school purposes and secondly, it provides that high school students' tuition shall be pad at the expense of the high school district in which the children reside and not out of the county school fund.

The bill provides for a general system for the state of Illinois. It provides for the election of a county board of education of five members who shall divide the entire county in high school districts, active and potential. The active districts will consist of the present high school districts and such potential districts as they shall vote to establish and maintain a high school. The potential high school districts shall elect a high school board of education whose only function shall be to levy a tax sufficient not only t pay the tuition of pupils residing in the high school district, but attending a recognized public high school.

The rate of tuition to be paid in the various recognized public high school shall not exceed per capita cost of instruction as determined by the county superintendent of schools.

In determining this per capita tax dividend may include interest on educational plant and a just annual allowance for depreciation as well as the cost of maintenance, administration, operation and instruction. If a high school district created by a county board of education contains a school district along with the rest of the high school the pupils of this school district will have tuition paid whether they attend local high schools or some other recognized public school and until such time as the entire high school district votes to establish a high school.

TO DECIDE VALIDITY OF SUNDAY CLOSING LAW

Chicago Saloon Keeper Seeks to Restrain Mayor Thompson from Enforcing Law—Will Carry Case to Supreme Court of Illinois.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The Illinois supreme court is to be asked to pass on the validity of the Sunday closing law as applied to saloons. Henry Loerner, a saloonkeeper who recently applied to Judge Brentano for an injunction to restrain Mayor Thompson from enforcing the Sunday closing law with the result that the writ was refused, announced today that he would appeal the case to the Illinois supreme court.

FOREIGN TRADE GREATLY INCREASED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Fireign trade as shown in a department of commerce statement today, reached a total of $7,463,000,000 in the year ending Nov. 1, a billion and a half dollars increase over 1915 and two and one half billions over 1914.

October exports of $490,600,000 show a decrease of $24,400,000 from September but imports of $176,400,000 represent a growth of $12,400,000 over September.

THREATENS NEW YORK COAL DEALERS

Mayor Mitchell May Buy Coal and Deliver it in City Wagons if Present Prices are Not Reduced.

New York, Nov. 23.—A threat to buy coal and deliver it to small consumers in the city street cleaning wagons at reasonable prices unless dealers bring present prices down, was made here today by Mayor John P. Mitchell. He said he had been investigating the "exorbitant price of coal," and as a result had reached the conclusion that "some dealers in the city have taken advantage of an apparent shortage of the supply."

GIVES $300,000 TO CHICAGO UNIVERSITY

CHICAGO, Nov. 23—Frederick H. Rawson, a banker, has made a gift of $3,500,000 to the University of Chicago for the construction of a laboratory building in connection with the University's proposed $15,000,000 medical school and hospital according to an announcement made today by President Judson of the University.

The gift brings the total amount contributed thus far to $3,500,000 in the campaign to raise a building fund of $5,000,000.

SHOULD BE SUBJECTED TO PAYMENT OF DUTY

NEW YORK, Nov. 23—Freight cars owned or controlled by railroads in countries bordering the United States should be subjected to payment of duty if used to an unnecessary extent in this country, it was asserted today by the collectors of customs from United States ports, in annual conference here. The subject was brought up by Fred C. Pabst, collector of the port of Galveston, Tex., in an address to the conference, which adopted a resolution commending remedial legislation.

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STEFANSSON LETTER IS MADE PUBLIC

Outlines Plans of Explorations for Next Two Years

Washington, Nov. 23.—In a letter to Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, made public today, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, commander of the Canadian Arctic Expedition, outlined his plans of exploration for the next two years and explained what steps should be taken to rescue him under certain conditions.

"Should nothing be heard of us by November 1917," Mr. Stefansson wrote, "it is to be presumed that something beyond our control has delayed us. I am of the opinion that in the spring of 1918, a ship or ships should be sent north from the Atlantic to look for us if we have not been heard from then.

"My best guess is that the Bear will winter next year on the south coast of Melville Island, but if ice conditions are exceptionally good we may attempt to get indefinitely farther north. I have given the government a list of places at which beacons may be built and records may be left either in 1917 or later by us."

Mr. Stefansson expressed the hope that he would be able to approach so near MacMillan's farthest end, coming from the west, that he could demonstrate the presence or absence of Crockerland. The letter is dated Cape Kellett, Banks Island, Jan. 11, 1916.

ENTENTE FORCES FAIL ON MACEDONIAN FRONT

Are Unable to Make Further Advances North of Monastir

Sofia, via London, Nov. 23.—Attempts of the Entente forces to develop their success on the Macedonian front by advancing north of Monastir have failed, it is announced by the war office.

"Between Lake Ochrida and Lake Presba," the statement says, "there were engagements with advanced guards of the enemy's infantry pushing forward north of Monastor, which were repulsed. In the Cerna Bend, all the desperate attacks of the enemy on Hill 1050 east of Paralovo were broken by the determined resistance of the German Chausseur Guard.

"Artillery and infantry firing occurred at some places along the Danube. The Roumanians sank their barges on the Danube and destroyed the bridge near Corabia (50 miles southeast of Craiova) where they set fire to their ammunition."

WILSON CONFINED TO HIS BEDROOM

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23—President Wilson was confined to his bedroom today with a slight cold in the head and saw no callers during the morning. He had an engagement late in the afternoon with Senator-Elect Gerry of Rhode Island.

IS CHOSEN CAPTAIN.

Hanover, N. H., Nov. 23.—F. J. Dusossoit, of Brookline, Mass., was elected captain of next year's Dartmouth football team today.

T. R. HEADS LEAGUE OF NEUTRAL NATIONS

Leader of Organization Which was Formed Soon After German Invasion of Belgium.

New York, Nov. 22.—Theodore Roosevelt has accepted temporarily the honorary presidency of the League of Neutral Nations it was announced here tonight. The organization was formed soon after the German invasion of Belgium for the purpose, according to its members of influencing public sentiment in favor of the rights of smaller countries against "military oppression by the great powers."

In a statement issued here, Colonel Roosevelt when asked to become president of the league replied as follows to its representatives:

"I am the most private of America's private citizen just now and I feel the need of a little time to myself. Besides, I have many things to do. I made it plain to the general committee in Paris that while I am deeply in sympathy with the purposes of the league, and wish it every success I can only temporarily assume the honorary presidency, altho I may be able later on to assist in the work of the American branch and will do so, if I can."

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SUFFRAGE SPEAKER ADDRESSED WOMEN

ANNUAL MEETING OF CIVIC LEAGUE HELD

Mrs. Harison M. Brown Told About Methods Used to Place Illinois Law on Books—Will Work For Federal Amendment—New Officers of League Chosen.

The annual meeting of the Jacksonville Civic League was held Thursday afternon at Academy hall. The election of officers was held and reports for the year made. The members of the league and others present had the pleasure of hearing an address by Mrs. Harrison Munro Brown of Peoria, a member of the executive committee of the Illinois Suffrage association. The reports presented by Mrs. J. H. Danskin as president of the league, Mrs. George T. Hollinger as treasurer and Mrs. F. H. Cogswell as secretary indicated a year of successful activity. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. J. H. Danskin.

First vice president—Mrs. A. H. Vannier.

Second vice president—Mrs. Clark Green.

Secretary—Mrs. F. H. Cogswell.

Treasurer—Mrs. George T. Hollinger.

Gifts To Benevolences

Following the report read by the treasurer, Mrs. Hollinger, members of the league voted to make donations as follows: $10 to the open air school; $10 to the associated charities; $10 to the free kindergarten and $5 to the city hall charity fund.

With complimentary words Mrs. Danskin presented Mrs. Brown, whose work in connection with the suffrage association has been such as to win the favor and admiration of all women in Illinois interested in public questions. Mrs. Brown talked in a wholly informal way and gave proof of her thoro understanding of the legislative machinery of the state and nation. She also made it clear to her hearers that the ultimate success of the suffrage movement requires tact on the part of the suffrage workers and requires that they make a fight for suffrage rights forceful but without vindictiveness. Mrs. Brown said that it was not fair to condemn the Wilson administration because congress had not acted favorably upon the suffrage amendment, and that it would not be fair to condemn the Republican party if in control of congress and senate.

Suffrage Must Come From Both Parties

She said that not since 1869 had either party had a two thirds control which would be necessary in passing a federal amenament. Her point, therefore, was that when favorable action comes on a federal amendment that it must be thru aid coming from both the parties. So Mrs. Brown went on to show the question which women to decide in supporting candidates is not whether they are Republicans or Democrats but whether their records are generally good and what their position is on suffrage questions.

"Those women were unfair and short-sighted," said Mrs. Brown, "who in the past election made an effort to defeat certain congressmen simply because they were Democrats and the Democratic party had not taken the desired action on suffrage questions. In some instances these women I refer to worked against men who had consistently voted favorably on the suffrage question whenever the opportunity to do it came to them. They should not have been charged with the failure of the party to take the desired action, for I have said, when we get the amendment we want it must be thru favorable action by men from both parties."

Illinois Suffrage Law Passed

Mrs. Brown's address was in the main a review of the suffrage movement in Illinois and the work which was done before the act was passed by the 1913 legislature, and the work necessary since to prevent that act from becoming null and void thru the passage of other laws. "We went to the 1913 legislature," the speaker said, "and our committee was assured that nothing could be done about securing a suffrage amendment to the state constitution. They referred to the women who had been coming down to the general assembly for years asking the same thing. Then it was suggested that a bill might be passed which would give women the right to vote for offices not mentioned in the constitution. The bill was prepared and introduced by Senator Magill. Then our work was to interview members of the house and senate and pledge them individually to vote for the bill. This is the work we did. We did not tell any man that he ought to vote for the bill because some colleague was going to do so. We handled each one separately. Day after day members of the senate committee would ask us if we were ready to have the bill reported out for action and again and again we would say no. Then finally we had enough members pledged to make us feel certain of favorable action and we told the committee to go ahead and report the bill. The same thing was done with house members as with senate members and you know the result—that the law was passed and was signed by the governor.

Good Supreme Court Test

"Very shortly after its constitutionality was attacked and we were compelled to wait several months more for action by the supreme court. This action sustained the bill but hardly was this opinion known before other proceedings were brought in an effort to have a rehearing of the case. This was finally denied and then we knew that we were to have the suffrage rights guaranteed by the bill if we could keep the statute upon the books. At the next session of the legislature at least seven bills were introduced either to amend the suffrage bill or which, if passed, would make it possible for that bill to again be before the supreme court for action.

"Our committee attended every session of the legislature and read every bill presented in order to be sure that nothing was slipped thru which would injure the equal suffrage law. To pass this bill required a majority of the votes in both the senate and the house. We are often asked why we have not endeavored to secure full rights for women in this state and the reason is simply this: to pass a bill putting before the people the question of amending the constitution requires a two thirds vote of both the senate and the house. Then if this favorable action is taken the question must go before the voters of the state at a general election and men only have a right to vote. If the amendment is passed it must be because a majority of all the votes cast on the question but a majority of all. You can readily see the difficulty there would be of securing such an amendment to the constitution.

New Constitution Needed

"What most women who have looked into the question want, thereby according with the views of many men, is a new constitution for the state. The sentiment seems to be growing for such a constitution because it is realized that as years have passed the constitution adopted just at the close of the Civil war does not comprehend all of our present day problems and situations. When a new constitution is adopted we believe that it will include full rights of suffrage to women.

"Referring again to the difficulty of amending the constitution, the law provides that only one amendment may be submitted at a time and that if such an amendment is defeated that it cannot be brought again before the people for four years. For many years committees have been in Washington laboring with congress for a federal suffrage amendment and have refused to be discouraged by the rebuffs given. Instead they have been encouraged by the increased suport given the amendment plan and this year we will go at the work with renewed vigor. The interest which women have shown in exerting the suffrage rights already given them and in their study of public questions has had its influences on legislators. Some of them in the past who have not been especially opposed to the giving of suffrage rights have honestly believed that most women did not want such rights and would not exert them if opportunity offered. They have believed too, that most women were not much interested in public affairs. The vote in suffrage states has given them proof that conditions in reality are otherwise."

In concluding her address Mrs. Brown quoted figures to show how rapidly suffrage sentiment has gained ground in recent years as state after state has extended certain rights to women.

BARBERS HAVE BANQUET

Barbers of the local union held a banquet Wednesday evening at the Owls' hall on West Morgan street. There was a good number of both master and journeymen barbers present and following the banquet the time was spent in a pleasant maner sociably.

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"Good Book Week" will be observed in Jacksonville this year andsome special events have been arranged by the Jacksonville Public library for the week of Dec. 4.

Good book week was initiated several years ago and its observance has been furthered by the Boy Scouts of America. One purpose is to call attention to the best things in children's reading and to this end a special exhibit, including gifts and other books suitable for the younger readers, will be arranged at the library. Local book stores will cooperate and a large and varied assortment will be placed on a display table at the library thruout the week. It is not the purpose to place the volumes on sale at this time but to make it possible for everyone to become familiar with the best works written for children and young people.

Tuesday evening an informal reception in celebration of book week will be held in the audience room at the library. The teachers of the city and the nurses of Passavant hospital training school will be special guests.

Attractive posters, calling attention to the good book week observance will be displayed at the public library.

W. R. C.

The Woman's Relief Corps will hold their regular meeting at their hall on West Morgan street this afternon at 2:30.

Mrs. Anna Ferguson, Pres.

—HAZEL DELL—

Col. C. H. Taylor, Charlie Taylor, H. O. Smith and son Verne were Winchester visitors Saturday. Col. Taylor was auctioneer at a cow sale. He was also auctioneer at the Barry sale near Exeter Wednesday.

The Democrats have been very much in evidence the past two weeks. We Republicans have been very busy.

Mrs. Swettart was a Bluff visitor Friday of last week.

Mr. Piper has moved into the house on the "Old Chapin Place."

Mr. and Mrs. Dufelmeir were very much surprised Sunday when some of their friends came in with well filled gaskets and spent the day.

George Haymaker and wife were visitors at the home of James Sherry Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. Smith, Mrs. John Drake were Jacksonville visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor were callers at the home of H. O. Smith Monday evening. They expect to leave in a short time for Florida to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodward were callers at the home of James Hatches Tuesday evening.

ATTENDED MEETING IN CHICAGO.

M. E. Gilbert returned Thursday from Chicago where he attended a meeting of the executive board of the Illinois Pharmaceutical association. The committee met to talk over legislation it is purposed to have brought before the coming session of the legislature in the interest of pharmacists. While in Chicago the State Board of Pharmacy and the members of the executive committee were entertained by the Chicago Drug club.

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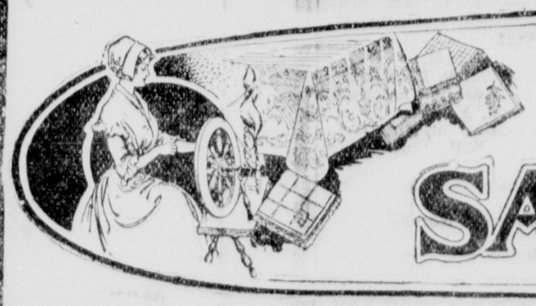
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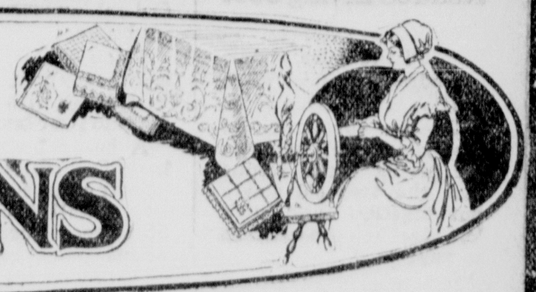
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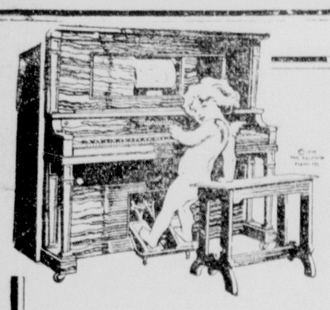
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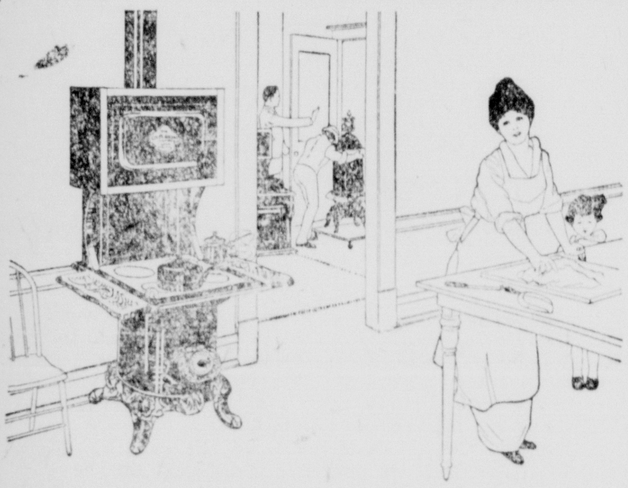
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WOMAN'S PARTY POINTS TO SUCCESS

Statistics From Suffrage States Show How Women Were Kept in Line Against Wilson's Attitude on Question.

Washington, Nov. 23—On returning to the national capital from Chicago, headquarters during the campaign of the National Woman's Party, Miss Alice Paul, national chairman of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, issued the following analysis of the situation as to the effect of the woman's vote on the national campaign:

"The National Woman's Party has attained its object in the campaign which has just closed. It made the national enfranchisement of women one of the most prominent issues on which the presidential campaign was fought in the suffrage states. It puts the Democrats on the defensive. It forced them to declare greater and greater enthusiasm for national woman suffrage. The election ended with democrats and republicans vieing with each other as to which was the more devoted to the enfranchisement of women.

The Illinois Vote

"In analyzing the election returns we find that the women responded loyally to our appeal not to give their support to Mr. Wilson because of his opposition to national woman suffage. In Illinois, the only state where the vote of women is counted separately, over 70,000 more women voted against Mr. Wilson than for him. Mr. Wilson received 58,578 less women's votes than did Mr. Hughes, according to present returns. The combined Socialist and Prohibition vote cast by women in Chicago and Cook county alone was 10,783, making the total woman's vote against Mr. Wilson thruout the state well over 70,000. Thousands of women pledged themselves at our meetings and in response to our canvassing, to withhold their support from the President as long as he opposed the national enfranchisement of women. Some of these gave their votes to the Socialists, some to the Prohibitionists, and some to the Republicans.

"Great numbers of them had originally intended giving their votes to Mr. Wilson because he 'kept us out of war.' Only the plea to put suffrage first caused them to turn away from Mr. Wilson.

"The same results were obtained in the other suffrage states, according to the reports of our workers. In none of them can the woman's vote be separated from that of the men but we can tell fairly accurately how the woman's vote was cast by the reports which our workers have sent from each district.

Held Vote in Line

"These reports indicate that the Woman's Party campaign was as successful in holding the woman's vote in line in the other eleven states as in Illinois. While ten of these states went for Wilson, they did not do so, as has been claimed, by the woman's vote. Mr. Wilson received in these states almost the solid labor vote, the Progressive and the farmers' vote. The popular majority which Mr. Wilson received in the twelve suffrage states amounted to only 22,171 out of a popular vote of more than 4,810,000 in these states according to the latest return. This does not include the Socialist and Prohibition vote which was very heavy in some of the western states.

"In each of these states the men outnumber the women, in some by more than two to one. According to the last census, there are 221 men to every 100 women in Nevada; in Wyoming 219 men to 100 women; in Arizona 169 to 100; and in Utah 121 to 100. In California the men of voting age outnumbered the women of voting age by 249,011; in Washington by 163,567; in Montana by 73,276; in Kansas by 69,593; in Colorado by 58,223; and in Idaho by 41,045. In these states the landslide of the Progressive, the labor and the farmer vote to Wilson was sufficient to give the most of these states to him, by narrow margins, despite the fact that hosts of women who would normally have supported him refused to do so because of his suffrage record.

Suffrage Paramount Issue

"We were not concerned with the result of the election. Ours was a campaign in which it made no difference who was elected. We did not endorse any candidate. We did not care who won. We were not pro-Republican, pro-Socialist, pro-Prohibition, we were simply pro-woman. We did not endeavor to affect the result in the non-suffrage states. What we did try to do was to organize a protest vote by women against Mr. Wilson's attitude toward suffrage. This we did. Every Democrat who campaigned in the west knows this. The Democratic campaign in the west soon consisted almost entirely of an attempt to combat the Woman's Party atack.

"We now turn to the coming session of congress full of hope that the splendid protest against the continued enfranchisement of women which the western women made at the polls in November will be sufficient to secure the passage of the suffrage amendment during the coming session. The loss of more than a third and nearly one-half of the electoral votes in the suffrage states by Mr. Wilson, largely because of his hostility to political freedom for women, the closeness of the vote in the other suffrage states because of the large protest vote rolled up by women, must make him realize that the women of the west are determined to stand by the eastern women until full enfranchisement for women thruout the land is an accomplished fact."

CHEATING THE LAUNDRIES.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Theological students of the University of Chicago today are wearing flannel shirts as a protest against the high cost of laundry.

INVESTIGATE COAL SITUATION

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 22—A federal investigation into the coal situation was begun here today by special agent of the department of justice, John S. Menefe.

SALVATION ARMY MEN ATTEND CONVENTION

Officers of Jacksonville Barracks Return from Chicago Where Meeting Was Held in Charge of Commissioner Howard of London, England.

The Salvation Army officers of this city have just returned from Chicago where they attended a convention conducted by Commissioner Howard of London, England, second in Command of the Salvation Army of the World. The meetings were attended by about five hundred officers from the western states.

The session Saturday evening was of devotional nature. The Life Saving Scouts and the Life Saving Guards of the Army gave some remarkable bits of personal experience. They gave exhibitions of life saving signalling and life saving drill and this was so much enjoyed that a repetition of the program was demanded Monday evenig.

Sunday there were public meetings and West Madison street resounded with music played by the different Salvation Army bands.

Monday night Commissioner Howard spoke of the part played by the Salvation Army in the great European conflict. There are 550 officers engaged in work among the troops of the various armies.

A number there were who wondered what the Army would do when General Booth passed away. Commissioner Howard pointed out that there are 1,200 more officers and 200 more institutions, besides 500 more corps, than were in existence at that time. The congress concluded with private meetings, conducted by the officers.

LYNNVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gordon of Murrayville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hamell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Moore and J. O. Parker and wife visited Sunday at the home of William Tuke and family of Winchester.

Foster Shepherd who has been a patient at Passavant hospital, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Fred Duckwall spent Sunday at the home of George Fligg and family.

Charles Tuke of Winchester spent several days in our village visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis spent Tuesday with Tom Davis and wife.

Mrs. Wm. Kirk and daughter of Donifrhan, Nebraska, arrived Saturday ofr a visit with Mrs. Kirk's sister, Mrs. J. H. Stainforth.

Mrs. Mollie Wilmarth of Springfield, visited Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Blackburn.

Martha, daughter of Dr. R. R. Jones of Woodson, is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Mrs. Nettie Perry who was operated on at Passavant hospital some two weeks ago, has recovered and has been taken to the home of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Goveia.

A roast duck dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of L. M. Shirtcliff. Among the guests were Mrs. Mary Frost of Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bower and children and Miss Gertrude Lord, all of Springfield, and Mrs. Pearle Fligg.

James Lazenby has been on the sick list for the past few days.

The new house on the farm of O. E. Hamell will soon be completed.

The revival series of three weeks will begin Sunday, Nov. 26 at the Christian church in charge of the pastor, the Rev. L. R. Cronkhite. Miss Gail Wilhite, of Ladoga, Ind., will conduct the song service.

COACH WANN'S ALL STAR TEAM

Norman G. Wann, coach of the Millikin football team has picked an all star team from the "Little Nineteen" conference. Mr. Wann places five Millikin men on the team. It is probable that he will find lots of people who won't agree with him. That however, is to be expected. Perhaps every coach in the conference will pick a team before the thing is over and all of them will have different views and all of them will be inclined to favor the men in their own squad. The team selected by Coach Wann is given hereunder:

Left End—McCown, Millikin.
Left Tackle—Mitchell, Illinois College.
Lef Guard—Moran, Eastern Illinois State Normal.
Center—Long, Millikin.
Right Guard—Seeley, Lombard.
Right Tackle—Reecknor, Lombard.
Right End—Cox, Millikin.
Quarterback—Johnson, Millikin.
Left Halfback—Killebrew, Millikin.
Right Halfback—Wilson, Illinois College.
Fullback—Hanson, Normal.

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Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago 6:40
Peoria-Bloomington Acc. 6:05
From St. Louis ... .12:00 am
Leaves 1:50
Chicago "Red Hummer" 1:58
No. 30, St. Louis train, arrives ..... 8:45 pm
South and West Bound—
Alton Nightingale to Kansas City ..... 2:23 am
St. Louis Accom., daily..... 6:10
Kansas City-St. Louis Local .10:33
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. 4:15
Kansas City Express 10:30

Wabash

East bound—
No. 72 local frgt. ex. Sun. 11:20 am
No. 12 ..... 9:45 pm
No. 52, daily ..... 1:53 am
No. 28, daily ..... 1:53 am
No. 4, daily ..... 8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.
West Bound—
No. 9, daily ..... 2:00 pm
No. 73, loc. frgt. ex. Sun. .2:25 pm
No. 3, daily ..... 7:15 am
No. 15, daily ..... 5:15 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Accom,.10:05 am

C. P. & St. L.

North Bound—
No. 36, daily ..... 7:49 am
No. 35, returns ....11:21 am
No. 38, leaves ..... 3:09 pm
No. 37, arrives ..... 7:26 pm

Burlington Route

North Pound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday .11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday . 4:30 pm

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.

New York, Nov. 23.—Wheat: Spot steady; No. 1 Durum, $2.18½; No. 2 hard, $2.00; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $2.08 and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $2.20¾ f. o. b. New York.

Corn: Spot easy; No. 2 yellow, $1.11¾ c. i. f. New York, 10 day shipment.

Oats: Spot steady; standard, 63 @63½c.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 23.—Corn unchanged @ 1½c lower. No. 3 white, 96c; No. 4 white, 93½c; No. 3 yellow, 95½c; No. 4 yellow, 93½@94c; No. 3 mixed, 96c; No. 4 mixed, 95c.

Oats unchanged @ ¾c higher. Standard, 56½c; No. 3 white, 50c.

T. H. Pratt of Joy Prairie was among Thursday vistors in Jacksonville.

DEATH COMES TO EMPEROR AS SLEEP

Death Mask of Francis Joseph is Taken Preliminary to Embalming Body—Heart Will be Sealed in Silver Cup.

Vienna, Wednesday, Nov. 22.—Via London, Nov. 23.—Death came to Emperor Francis Joseph as sleep to a child while the sovereign was reclining in an arm chair in what he called his work room. His strength had been ebbing from two o'clock on the afternoon of yesterday but he refused to take to his bed. After six o'clock he began gradually to lose consciousness and went to the end without uttering another word, resting peacefully in his chair with his hands folded as if he were in prayer.

This afternoon a death mask of the emperor was taken as a preliminary to embalming of the body and its removal to the Hofburg where it will lie in state. The heart will be sealed in a silver cup while the intestines, lungs and stomach will be placed in a copper urn.

Must Await Dead of Night.

The body must be transferred from the Schonenbrunn palace to the Hofburg in the dead of night, drawn by six black horses. The cortege will be accompanied by torch bearers and the outriders also will carry torches. After them will come a squadron of calvry and a part of the mounted guard. The hearse will be preceded by the court couriers, the Lord Steward and the court chamberlains in carriages drawn by six horses. After the hrarse will come a carriage containing the heart in its silver cup followed by officers of the body guard, palace officials and soldiers. The cortege will move thru several of the principal thorofares of Vienna and be met by Emperor Charles and the Archduke at the Black Eagle stairs whence they will accompany the body into the chapel of the Hofburg where it will lie in state and be viewed by the public.

Will Rest In Imperial Vaults.

Francis Joseph will be laid to rest in the imperial vaults on the Capuchin church, where are the tombs of his predecessors. On the day of the funeral the monarchy will go into mourning for a period of six months divided into three equal portions, deepest mourning, deep mourning and light mourning.

An order by the emperor not as yet promulgated will fix the duration of the court mourning and also the period during which the theaters and other places of amusement shall remain closed.

Today the emperor's body lies on the iron bedstead on which he slept for the last two years. The emperor's last will and testament opened today was made several years ago. It disposes of the emperor's private means and contains many large bequests.

Count Stephan Tisza, the Hungarian premier, accompanied by his wife, arrived this morning from Budapest. With him was Baron Erwin Rozener, Hungarian minister at the Vienna court.

The New Empress Zita.

Vienna, Nov. 23—via London, Nov. 23.—With the advent of the new Empress Zita, curiosity naturally will be aroused as to her personality and accomplishments. From her early days she has been studious and is an accomplished musician an dwell versed in literature, history and philosophy. She also is fond of society and is a graceful dancer.

Empress Zita was born in the Villa Reale at Pianora, in the Italian province of Lucca, May 9th, 1892, the daughter of Duke Robert and Ruchess Marie Antoinette of Parma. She is of Bourbon descent, but rapidly became Viennese owing to the fact that life in the capital on the Danube interested her exceedingly. Her early training was in the hands of the Marquise Della Rosa. Later she entered a convent at Zangbert, where she advanced rapidly in music, presiding now and then as organist in the convent chapel.

After her father's death the then Princess Zita in 1908 spent some time in the Ryde Abbey, Isle of Wight, where her sister, Princess Adelaide, is a nun. Here among the French sisters who had been compelled to leave France owing to the church reform law, she studied music, literature, Latin history and philosophy.

Princess Zita made the acquaintance of Archduke Charles Francis at Franzenbad, Bohemia, in the spring of 1909 while the guest of the Archduchess Marie Annunziata, her cousin. Later, Princess Zita and Archduke Charles Francis met at festivities at the Hofburg palace, and occasionally at the hunting lodge of the Archduchess Marie Therese.

On the occasion of a court ball early in 1911 Archduke Charles Francis is reported to have declared his love for the princess. Another version of this story, however, is that the archduke, having his attention drawn to a particularly graceful dancer, said:

"I have liked her for a long time."

On June 14, 1911, the engagement of the princess and the archduke was announced and on Oct. 21st, of the same year they were married neither expecting that ultimately they would ascend the Austro-Hungarian throne.

The marriage took place in the castle at Schwarzenau. Cardinal, then Monsignor Bisleti, Majordomo of the Vatican, officiating, assisted by an uncle of Archduke Charles Francis. The young couple spent their honeymoon in the castle at Brandeis.

The first household of the archduke and archduchess was established at Kolomea, Galacia. Their first child was born November 20th, 1912, and was named Francis Joseph Otto. He is now heir apparent to the Austrian throne.

The other children of the couple are the Archduchess Adelaide, born January 3rd, 1914, and Archduke Felix Frederick August, born May 31st, 1916, the date on which his father was a victor in the battles at Asiero and Asiago in Italy.

Mrs. Nina Preble of Baylis was a shopper in the city yesterday.

HEAVY SELLING WEAKENS WHEAT

Market Takes Downward Swing after Brief Display of Strength—Corn and Oats Also Off.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Heavy selling by houses with seaboard connections gave a down-swing to the wheat market today after prices had made a brief display of strength. The possibility of an embargo on shipments from the United States was freely discussed. Prices losed weak, 1⅞ to 2⅜c net lower, with December at $1.80⅝ to $1.81 and May at $1.87 to $1.87⅝. Corn lost ⅝@⅞c to 1⅛@1⅜c and oats ⅝c to 1⅛@1⅜c. In provisions the outcome varied from unchanged figures to ten cents higher.

Exporters professed to have no orders from Europe to purchase wheat. One explanation suggested was that the curtailment of buying on the part of the foreigners had resulted in part from wholesale economies which had been put into effect, notably the admixture of corn as an ingredient of flour.

Corn weakened with wheat. Rough weather that threatened to delay shipments from the country had only a temporary bullish influence.

Oats followed the bearish lead furnished by wheat and corn. Trade lacked volume.

Provisions hardened in value owing to the purchases of lard for Belgium. Other transactions were only of a scattered character.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Falling off in the number of arrivals of hogs today was counterbalanced by slowness of shipping call and by a large left over supply. Wet weather tended to handicap sellers of cattle. Demand for feeders gave strength to the whole market for sheep and lambs.

Chicago Livestock Market.

Hogs: Receipts, 40,000. Market steady at yesterday's average to a shade advance. Bulk, $9.00@9.85; light, $8.35@9.65; mixed, $9.00@10.00; heavy, $9.35@10.10; rough, $9.35@9.55; pigs, $6.25@8.30.

Cattle: Receipts, 10,000. Market unsettled. Native beef cattle, $6.50@12.05; western steers, $6.30@10.15; stockers and feeders, $4.60@7.70; cows and heifers, $3.55@9.50; calves, $9.00@13.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 15,000. Market firm. Wethers, $7.85@8.85; ewes $4.40@7.85; lambs, $9.25@12.05.

St. Louis Livestock Market.

Hogs: Receipts, 16,400. Market steady. Lights, $9.30@10.00; pigs, $7.00@9.00; butchers $9.30@10.00; heavy, $9.95@10.15; bulk, $9.95@10.00.

Cattle: Receipts, 4,600. Market steady. Steers, $7.50@11.50; heifers, $8.50@11.00; cows, $5.50@7.75; feeders $5.30@7.50.

Sheep: Receipts, 650. Market steady. Lambs, $7.50@11.90; ewes $5.75@7.60; yearlings $8.00@10.00.

Omaha Livestock Market.

Hogs: Receipts, 15,000. Market steady. Heavy, $9.45@9.80; light, $9.30@9.70; pigs, $7.75@9.25; bulk, $9.40@9.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 5,500. Market steady. Steers, $6.50@11.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 12,700. Market steady. Yearlings, $7.75@9.50; wethers, $7.25@8.50; lambs, $11.00@11.90.

Kansas City Livestock Market.

Hogs: Receipts, 11,000. Market 5c lower. Bulk, $9.50@9.95; heavy $9.85@10.00; light, $9.40@9.75; pigs, $7.25@8.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 4,000. Market steady. Steers, $6.50@11.75; cows, $4.75@8.50; heifers, $6.00@10.25; calves, $6.50@11.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 4,000. Market strong to 10c higher. Lambs $11.00 11.90; yearlings, $8.75@10.00; wethers, $7.50@8.50; ewes, $6.75@7.75.

HOME MARKETS

Spring Chickens	18
Chickens, old	14
Butter	35
Eggs	40c
Lard	20c
Bacon	14c
Turnips	60c
Potatoes, new	1.75
Apples	$1.00

Commission Men Pay:

Poultry Prices

Hens, light	11c
Springs	14c
Old Roosters	7c
Ducks	10c
Geese	9c
No. 1 Turkeys	20c
Turkey Toms	18c
Guineas	30c
Guinea Squabs	50c
Fresh Eggs, Candled	34c
Beef Hides	15c
Packing Stock Butter	27c

The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is now paying 40c for butterfat.

Hay and Grain

Timothy Hay, per bale	50c
Timothy Hay, per ton	$14.00
Clover Hay, per bale	50c
Clover hay, per ton	$14.00
Alfalfa Hay, per bale	50c
Alfalfa Hay, per ton	$18.00
Oats Straw	35c
Oats, per bushel	60c
Bran	$1.65
Cracked corn, old, per cwt.	$2.25
Coarse corn meal	$2.18
Corn	95c
Middlings	$1.85
3, Feed	$2.40

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MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 23.—The wheat market opened strong today, but later reacted on absence of demand. Cash wheat: No. 1 hard, $1.93½@1.96½; No. 1 Northern, $1.89½@1.92½; to arrive, $1.88½@1.91½; No. 2 Northern, $1.84@1.90½; No. 3 wheat, $1.64½@1.87½.

DECLINES MODERATE BUT VERY GENERAL

Coppers, Munitions and Related Issues Make Concessions of One to Three Points.

New York, Nov. 23.—Traders seemed in the mood today to accept with little or no reservation the many reports of a character calculated to depress quoted values. These ranged from the stability of existing war contracts to the measures employed by banking interests to check excessive speculation and the international situation was injected with some effort.

Declines were mostly moderate but very general, coppers, munitions and related issues, including equipments, making extreme concessions of one to three points. Shipping shares also were heavy.

Leather issues were comparatively strong. United States Steel was sold steadily in round amounts down to 124 an extreme decline of 1½, with no material recovery. Efforts to revive interest in motors and affliated stocks met with indifference success. Rails denoted the lack of public interest so long shown in that group despite the publication of additional excellent statements of earnings.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 1,620,000 shares.

Bonds were irregular with concessions in most international issues. Total sales of bonds par value $5,870,000.

U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.
Last Sale.

Allis-Chalmers	33
American Beet Sugar	103¾
American Can	62⅜
American Car and Foundry	73
American Locomotive	89⅜
American Smelting, Refining	117⅜
American Sugar Refining	117
American Tel. and Tel.	127⅜
Anaconda Copper	98⅜
Atchison	104⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	92⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	86¾
Bethlehem Steel	639
Brooklyn Rap. Transit	83⅜
Butte and Superior	67¾
California Petroleum	23⅞
Canadian Pacific	171¾
Central Leather	112⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio	68¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	92½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry.	32⅜
Chino Copper	67⅛
Colorado Fuel and Iron	55⅞
Corn Products	27⅝
Crucible Steel	86¾
Denver and Rio Grande pfd.	45
Erie	36⅝
General Electric	179
Goodrich Co.	70⅛
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	44⅜
Great Northern Pfd.	117¾
Illinois Central	105
Interborough Consol. Corp.	18
Inter. Harvester, N. J.	117
Inspiration Copper	69
Inter. Mere. Mar. pfd. ctfs.	116½
Lackawanna Steel	102¾
Lehigh Valley	81⅝
Louisville and Nashville	132
Maxwell Motor Co.	74⅜
Mexican Petroleum	107⅝
Miami Copper	44⅜
Mo., Kansas and Texas pfd.	16½
Missouri Pacific	10¾
National Lead	67½
New York Central	106¾
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	57¼
Norfolk and Western	139
Northern Pacific	111
Pennsylvania	56¾
Ray Consolidated Copper	31⅝
Reading	106⅞
Republic Iron and Steel	86⅜
Southern Pacific	99¾
Southern Railway	26⅜
Studebaker Co.	125
Texas Co.	239
Tennessee Copper	24¼
Union Pacific	147⅜
United States Rubber	64⅝
United States Steel	124¼
United States Steel Pfd.	121⅝
Utah Copper	120
Wabash Pfd. B	29¾
Western Union	101½
Westinghouse Electric	63
Kennecott Copper	56¾
American Zinc	59⅝

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	$1.84	$1.84¼	$1.80¾	$1.80⅞
May	1.90¾	1.90¼	1.86¾	1.87⅛
July	1.59⅝	1.59⅝	1.56¾	1.56¾
Corn—				
Dec.	.95¾	.95¾	.93¼	.93¼
May	.97⅝	.97⅝	.96	.96⅛
July	.97½	.97½	.95¾	.95⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	.57⅝	.57⅞	.57¼	.57½
May	.62½	.62½	.61⅜	.61¾
Pork—				
Dec.				28.00
May	27.70	27.72	27.60	27.70
July	27.55	27.57	27.45	27.50
Lard—				
Dec.	16.75	16.85	16.70	16.77
Jan.	16.42	16.50	16.40	16.45
May	16.30	16.40	16.35	16.37
Ribs—				
Jan.	14.70	14.70	14.65	14.67
May	14.77	14.80	14.75	14.77

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.86@1.88; No. 3 red, $1.80@1.85; No. 4 red, $1.70; No. 2 hard winter, $1.88@1.94; No. 3 hard winter, $1.84@1.85.

Corn: No. 2, 96½c; No. 3, 95c; No. 4, 93c; No. 3 white, 98c; No. 4 white, 93c; No. 2 yellow, $1.91; No. 3 yellow, 97@98c; No. 4 yellow, 95½@96c.

Oats: No. 2, 57½c; No. 3, 57½c; No. 3 white, 58@58½c; No. 4 white, 57@57½c; standard, 59c.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, Nov. 23.—Mercantile paper, 3½.

Bar silver, 73⅛.

Mexican dollars, 56¼.

Time loans, 3½@3¾.

Call money: high, 3½; low, 3; closing bid, 3½.

Oliver Carowell of the northwest part of the county was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

PROMINENT SPEAKERS FOR MARKETING MEET

Thirty Eight of Them on Program for Convention in Chicago—Crop Marketing and Farm Credits Only Part of Themes to be Considered.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—A battery of thirty-eight speakers of national and international reputation and two to three sections working simultaneously are included in the program of the Fourth National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits made public today.

The meeting will be held in Chicago December 4-9 at the Hotel Sherman and delegates from all states in the union and from Canada are expected. They will represent 2,600,000 farmers according to reports received by the officers of the Conference. They will voice their common opinion and send representatives to Washington in connection with the literacy test bill for immigrants, the proposed investigation of the livestock industry by the Federal Trade Commission; a proposal to create a land settlement and immigration commission to devise national and state aid machinery; laws to improve grades and inspection standards for farm products; the question of car shortage; the proposed embargo on food products, and other matters.

Three Farm Organizations

Taking an active part in the Conference this year are the three largest farmers' organizations of their kind in America. The Market Committee of the American Livestock Association, representing over thirty-eight federated livestock associations and thousands of livestock farmers who are pressing for a federated trade commission investigation of their own industry "from calf to plate" as a basis of reorganizing it will ask support of the Conference delegates. The National Council of Farmers' Co-operative Associations, representing nine state farmers' grain dealers' associations and totalling 300,000 grain farmers, are calling their people together "to start a move for cost-finding in connection with the distribution and marketing of grain as a means of heading off the seven-cent-a-loaf bread to the consumer. And the grain farmers will also discuss car shortage and embargo. The Milk Producers' Association of the Chicago Dairy district, representing 12,000 milk farmers, who earlier in the year won their strike, are now calling a national meeting of milk producers from other territories where milk troubles have arisen as a basis of working out a common method of solving this important question. Reorganization of the milk industry lies at the root of this plan, according to leaders.

The Conference has heard from organizations such as the Equity Co-operative Exchange of St. Paul, representing 70,000 grain farmers; the Gleaners of Michigan, representing 80,000 farmers banded together for common insurance; the Sheboygan County Cheese Federation; the Federation of Jewish Farmers of America; the New York State Agricultural Society; several state branches of the Farmers' Union of the South, and the Farmers' Union of Maine, an independent organization, and from many smaller organizations throughout the country, indicating that a keen interest is being taken this year in the delegates that have been selected. Notable among the brotherhoods to be represented are the Wisconsin Society of Equity through its state organizations and its locals, prominent officeds of the grange and many managers and directors of marketing associations. In addition, leaders interested in immigration questions, educators representing nearly one hundred institutions of higher learning education, state and national departments of agriculture, bankers, industrial and agricultural representatives of railroads and special delegates appointed by governors of states will meet together.

The Conference will open Monday night, Governor-elect, Frank O. Lowden gentleman farmer of Oregon, Illinois, has been invited to deliver the address of welcome. Then will follow an address on the work of the 1916 Conference by Chairman Frank L. McVey, president of the university of North Dakota.

A representative of the Federal Farm Loan Board will lead a discussion of the working of the Federal Farm Loan Act. This will be participated in by William R. Camp, chief of the Division of Markets and Rural Organization, West Raleigh, South Carolina; C. W. Thompson, specialist in charge of Rural Organization, United States Department of Agriculture; H. C. Gray, professor of Agricultural Economics in the Knapp School of Agriculture, Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee; and the delegates who attend.

Land Settlement Policy

The Conference on Land Settlement will be opened by Elwood Mead, former director of irrigation and settlement work for the British government in Australia, now professor of rural institutions in the University of California, Berkeley, California.

Max Leeb, member of the Chicago Board of Education and a prominent real estate man of Chicago, will discuss supervision of commercial colonization.

Leonard G. Robinson, manager of the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid Society of New York, will speak on a land settlement policy for the insolvent farmer. The organization represented by Mr. Robinson has done the pioneer work in land and personal credit in the United States.

Robert D. Kent, president of the Merchants' Bank of Passaic, Passaic, New Jersey, will show how to make farm credits work for land settlement.

Hector Macpherson of the Oregon Agricultural College of Corvallis, Oregon, will present an agricultural policy for the Pacific northwest.

E. Dana Durand, former director of the United States census, now professor of economics in the university of Minnesota, will offer a settlement policy for the cut-over lands of the northern states.

Protecting Immigrants

The special conference on colonization and immigration questions will be opened by Frederic C. Howe, United States commissioner of immigration at Ellis Island, New York who will lay down a national policy for distribution of the immigrant in relation to the farming lands of America. The discussion will be participated in by the delegates.

H. C. Poe, president of the Temple State Bank, Temple, Texas, will give a paper on dairy cattle and hog raising for the small farmer.

Marketing problems of the grain growers will be discussed by Lynn J. Frazier, governor-elect of North Dakota, Hoople, North Dakota; Fred D. Stout of Ashton, Illinois, and O. D. Anderson, president of the Farmers' Co-operative Association of South Dakota, Corsica, South Dakota.

Terminal Issue to Chicago

The opening of the moot terminal market question has been refered to Josepr P. Griffing, president of the Chicago Board of Trade. His views will be discussed by the farmer delegates and Canadian aspects of terminal costs will be presented by representatives of the Grain Growers' Grain Company of Winnipeg, Canada, an organization representing over 50,000 grain farmers organized for co-operative marketing of their own grain.

Marketing of Perishable Fruit

The section working on perishable fruit and farm products will be opened by Frederic K. Matchler, director of co-operative extension work, Lexington, Kentucky, with an address on how Kentucky is solving her marketing problems.

The southern apple growers' problems will be outlined by Louis B. Magin, president of the Appalachian Orchards, Tallulah Park, Georgia.

Victor K. McIlheny, president of the National Association of Auction Companies, New York City, will explain the progress and advantages of the auction method of selling perishable produce.

James N. McBride, State Market Director, East Lansing, Michigan, read a paper on state encouragement of standardization. This will be followed by an explanation of how Michigan certified grapes are sold by G. E. Prater, Jr., sales manager of The Wolverine Co-operative Company, Paw Paw, Michigan.

Hearing on Livestock

An interesting aggregation of speakers have been secured to explain the livestock situation in America. Some are announced and some will be put on the program as a surprise. Among the names of those selected are the following: A. E. de Ricqles, secretary Market Committee, American National Live Stock Association, Denver, Colorado; Ed C. Lasater, owner of the Lasater Ranch in Texas; M. L. McClure, president American Live Stock Exchange, Kansas City, Missouri; T. W. Tomlinson, secretary American National Live Stock Association, Denver, Colorado; George K. Andrews, representing a special committee appointed to investigate the marketing of livestock by the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, Commissioner of Agriculture of the Missouri Pacific Railway, St. Louis, Missouri; Louis D. Hall, in charge new livestock information service recently established in the United States Department of Agriculture, office of Markets and Rural Organizations; S. S. Beach, director Hutchinson Livestock Shipping Association, Hutchinson, Minnesota.

The Whole Milk Industry

The special conference on the Marketing of Whole Milk will be opened Tuesday afternoon, December 5 with delegateions from ten or more milk producing teritories present. These territories will include Boston, New York, Cleveland, Chicago, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Des Moines, San Francisco, St. Louis and Joliet. Also representatives of high grade dairy herd associations will be present.

Dr. H. E. Horton, agricultural commissioner of the American Steel & Wire company will present a short paper giving results of a survey made of the progress of the marketing of whole milk. The delegates will then explain the plans and progress made in the milk producing territory and work will be done looking toward a nationalization of whole milk producers.

The Organization of Agriculture

Great interest is attached to the banquet meeting for the discussion of the organization of agriculture. C. E. Embree, manager of the Farmers' Union of Maine, will tell how to organize farmers.

A national council of rural organizations will be proposed by Kenyon L. Buterfield, former chairman Roosevelt Country Life Commissionion, president Massachusetts College, Amherst, Mass.

Unification of American Agriculture will be discussed by Carl S. Vrooman, Assistant Secretary the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Among the chairmen selected to assist in the coming Conference are Frank L. McVey, general chairman, president University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, North Dakota; Thomas N. Carver, professor of economics, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; B. H. Hibbard, professor of Rural Economics, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin; Charles Adkins, president Illinois Livestock Breeders' Association, Bement, Illinois; Colonel Frank P. Holland, publisher Farm and Ranch, and Holland's Magazine, founder of the National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits, Dallas, Texas; Thomas Daniels, secretary Farmers' Grain Dealers' Association, Cullison, Kansas.

ALLEN IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Allen Improvement Club will meet Friday afternoon at Hicklen Tabernacle Hall. To be entertained by Mrs. E. J. Jones. All members are requested to be present. Meeting opened at 2:30 o'clock.



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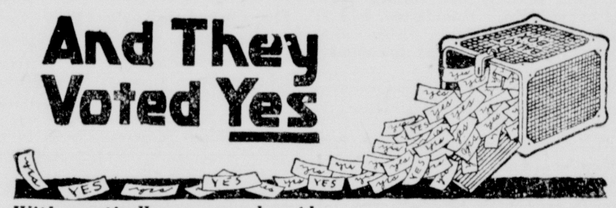
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